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Sports leagues structured along racial lines?

By JIM BRADLEY
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Romulus School Supt. William Bedell lashed out strongly this week at how high school athletic conferences are structured and the apparent discrimination against teams with mainly black players.

The head of the local school system told Associated Newspapers he intends to "take this question to the highest state level" — if need be — to get some answers.

Greatly upset because Romulus with

its predominately black teams has been effectively kept out of nearby leagues, Bedell feels that "someone" needs to take a good hard look at the situation.

"Perhaps a group of school administrators could be appointed to oversee who comprises different leagues and how schools are admitted to those leagues," he said. "One thing is sure, Romulus appears to have been systematically excluded from all leagues in this entire area."

Bedell, who has been superintendent in Romulus since last summer, made his

concerns known publicly when Romulus High School tried to schedule some games with members of the Suburban Athletic Conference.

Athletic Director William Hardy was informed that Romulus would have to join the SAC before games would be scheduled — and then four stipulations were laid down as pre-requisites before becoming a member.

The SAC includes predominately "black" schools, Inkster, Dearborn Heights, Robichaud, River Rouge, Ecorse, and Highland Park.

Hardy requested that the Romulus Board of Education approve his request for Romulus High School to become a league member of SAC.

He listed five reasons for joining SAC. Hardy said there would be league championships in all sports; they could fill open dates in all sports schedules; reduce travel distance and costs; all schools have excellent spectator following; and he added, "We have explored every possible avenue with other leagues and have made no progress."

It was the latter quote from Hardy,

plus the four stipulations from SAC, that stirred Bedell to voice his feelings.

SAC named four things Romulus would have to do just to schedule games with league members. 1) Romulus must compete against all SAC members, where scheduling permits, on a rotating basis beginning with 1981 spring sports.

2) Hardy must attend upon request the SAC Athletic Director's meetings for scheduling purposes. Contracting Romulus outside of these scheduled meetings is prohibited by SAC mem-

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Local Briefs

Reward offered

Under its unique "Secret Witness" program, the city is offering a reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons involved in the rash of vandalism in city parks and the cemetery.

"We will not tolerate this malicious destruction of property by anyone," a city official said. "We hope that there is someone, somewhere out there who saw something that will help law enforcement officers arrest the culprits."

If you do have any information, contact the City Hall (941-0666).

Sheriff stuns commissioners

Wayne County commissioners attending last week's Public Safety and Judiciary Committee meeting almost fell off their chairs when they read a request from Sheriff William Lucas asking for authorization to consummate a new 5-year contract for additional police protection for the City of Romulus.

"Details," his letter pointed out, "can be settled between Samuel A. Turner, Chairman of the County Board of Commissioners, and Romulus Mayor William M. Oakley."

Commissioner Mary E. Dumas' motion to "pass for the day" was accepted over one offered by Commissioner Jackie L. Currie to "receive and file."

Taxes high? appeal them

Romulus Board of Tax Review will meet daily this week in the office of the assessor at City Hall, 11111 S. Wayne Road.

They will also meet daily Monday, March 16 through Friday, March 20. Hours are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day and citizens of Romulus who want to speak with the board must make an appointment by calling 941-0666.

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\$105,000 question

County offer to clean city ditches 'goes down the drain'

By JIM BRADLEY
ANP Staff Writer

Any chance of Wayne County being contracted to clean Romulus ditches has definitely "gone down the drain."

That was the unanimous answer of nearly 200 city residents who packed City Hall recently for a public hearing on a petition by 46 property owners to have the county clean six miles of drains in Romulus.

There was much misunderstanding of the issue among the people who came to ask questions of two representatives of the Wayne County Drain Commission. Many thought the county had already been hired to clean the Post, Barlow and Vealy drains in Romulus, each of which covers approximately two miles — or six miles in all.

But of one thing there was no misunderstanding — by the residents or city and county officials — and that was the fact that not one person among the 200 or so on hand spoke in favor of paying the county \$62,994.27 to clean the three drains.

If the county hauls the debris away — it will cost a total of \$105,010.62.

Representing Wayne County Drain Commission were Bob Jarrett, chief engineer, and Jeffrey Supowig, legal counsel. They were the objects of sarcastic remarks and taunts that "the drains have not been cleaned in years" and "where does all of our tax dollars go?"

To put the meeting in perspective, City Clerk Leonard Folmar explained the reason for the public hearing. "City Council got a petition from 46 residents to have some drains cleaned. We contacted the Drain Commissioner's office and they agreed to send two representatives to a public hearing," Folmar said. "Nothing has been done. No one has been charged anything. As a result of the testimony given here tonight — Council will act upon that input. Council will decide whether to hire Wayne Coun-

ty to clean the drains or not to hire the County to clean the drains," Folmar explained.

As a result of the petition, Wayne County Drain Commission worked up some cost estimates if they cleaned the drains. In fact, they offered two propositions — 1) to clean the drains, and 2) to clean the drains and haul the spoil and debris away.

Included in the estimates were the three drains — Post, Barlow and Vealy.

The Post Drain is located approximately 300 feet north of Wick Road, runs east and west, starts west of Cogswell Road and meanders to a point just west of the northwest corner of the C&O Railroad and Wick Road. It is approximately two miles long, officials said.

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Residents blast county operation

By JIM BRADLEY
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There's one think about Romulus residents — they're not reluctant to say what they think.

Two representatives from Wayne County Drain Commission found that out at the public hearing to discuss a petition asking City Council to have the county hired to clean Romulus drains.

The cost of cleaning the Post, Barlow and Vealy drains — each approximately two miles in length — would cost \$62,994.27 and residents with property adjacent to the ditches would be assessed that amount.

If the county hauled away the debris they cleaned from the drains, it would cost a total of \$105,010.62.

On hand to represent the drain commission were Bob Jarrett, chief engineer, and Jeffrey Supowig, legal counsel. And they were the target of some hard questioning by City Council members and the nearly 200 residents who attended the public hearing.

Councilman Ed Rush started the meeting with two questions for Jarrett.

"How much money has Wayne County spent on cleaning drains in Romulus the past two years?" Rush inquired.

Jarrett said he didn't have the figures with him but would be glad to check the records. "How many man hours has Wayne County spent in Romulus the last two years?" Rush asked.

Jarrett again said he did not have those figures with him. "We respond to citizen complaints," he explained. "The Drain Commission is restricted to paying \$800 per mile to clean drains. The drain code provides us to charge customers for service received."

Councilman Jimmie Raspberry said it would be good to hear of definite problems. "I believe the best format would be to let citizens ask specific questions," he said.

A man on Tyler Street stood and complained that the drain was two feet higher than his property and asked what he could do about it.

Another man asked, "What are you going to do when you dig out the drain?"

Jarrett replied: "We will establish the

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ZBA board cancels DetRo sludge hearing

Rumors were running rampant last week after DetRo Products Company was suddenly and quietly dropped from the Zoning Board of Appeals agenda.

The company, which hopes to build a multi-million dollar plant in Romulus that converts sludge into compost, was removed from the ZBA agenda on advice from City Attorney Chuck Lowther.

"The residents were not given the required 10 days' notice of the meeting," Lowther explained later. "If there's any confusion about the situation, I'll assume responsibility for the action."

Lowther, in reconstructing what happened, explained that DetRo contacted ZBA secretary Vivian Armstrong about the middle of the previous week and re-

quested a special meeting with the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Mrs. Armstrong, wishing to save the company the extra cost of a special meeting, tried to get DetRo on the agenda of the regular meeting agenda last Wednesday. She sent out notices to all residents within 300 feet of the affected area.

"On Monday morning of last week I got a call from Mrs. Armstrong and she informed me that DetRo was on the ZBA agenda for the March 4 meeting," Lowther said. "I informed her that our attorneys were not ready yet for such a meeting and also that the residents had not been given enough days' notice for the hearing."

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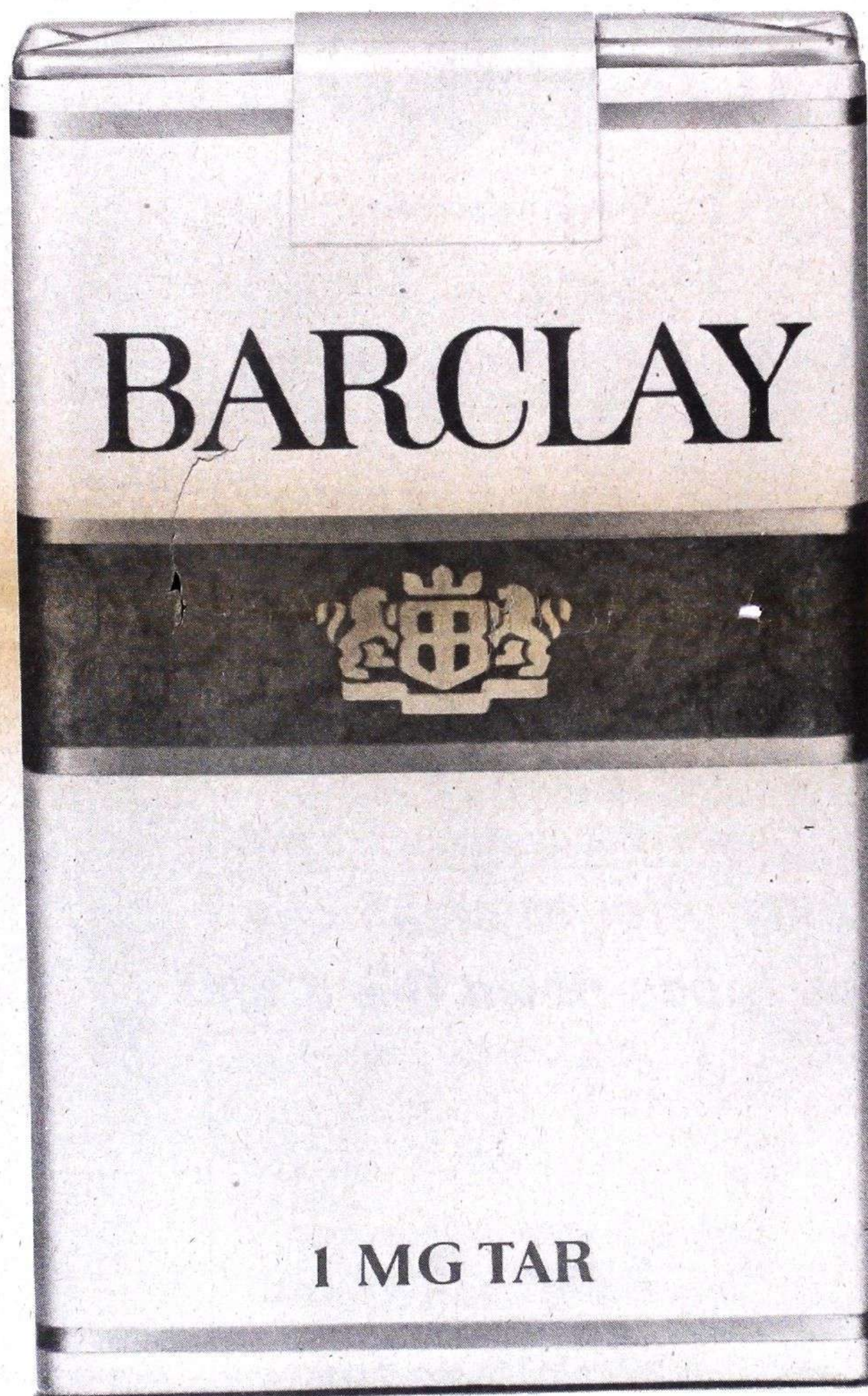
A muddy mess

The Vealy Drain (top left) has been cleaned and is flowing nicely, however, the Post Drain (bottom right) is a muddy mess and DPW Director David Paul (left) examines the clogged up drain behind the house of Dave and Carolyn Martin, 36550 Wick Road, with the two resi-

dents. Martin, who has lived in the home for the past 30 years, says the county has not cleaned the ditch during the past three decades. As a result, his backyard becomes a lake each time it rains very hard.

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2 girls die of carbon monoxide poisoning

WAYNE — The Wayne County Medical Examiner's Office ruled this week that the death of two teen-age girls whose bodies were found in a parked car at a motel on Michigan Avenue in this city was "apparently caused by carbon monoxide poisoning." The officials said that they had no reason to believe there was any foul play involved.

The victims are Sandra Wade and Melissa Tripp who, according to police, were dropped off by their fathers, Raymond Wade and William Tripp, in a room at the Niagara Motel, sometime Saturday night.

Police theorize the two teen-age girls took some blankets and pillows and got into a 1972 Mercury Cougar, owned by Wade, turned on the ignition to warm up the vehicle and apparently fell asleep. Investigator Allen Brandeau of the medical examiner's office said the girls "bore the signs of carbon monoxide poisoning." The car, according to one of the parents, had been left with a quarter-tank of gas. Police found the gas tank empty Sunday morning.

Judge rules Westland must use union police

WESTLAND — The City of Westland's attempt to hire a non-union worker to serve as police matron at the municipal jail was thwarted by the Police Officers Association of Michigan (POAM) in Wayne County Circuit Court today.

Wayne Circuit Judge Henry J. Szymanski issued a restraining order preventing a non-union employee from being hired to supervise female prisoners in the city jail.

The order had been sought by the POAM, the collective bargaining agent for Westland's police officers.

According to Daniel Hoekenga, POAM's attorney, Judge Szymanski determined that the union's position would be harmed if the order were not issued because such a decision could encourage the city to further violate the police contract by employing more non-union workers to perform bargaining unit duties.

'Open house' a success at WCCC

VAN BUREN — Wayne County Community College officials were pleased at the turn out for last week's open house at its new Western Center Field Office at 9820 Haggerty Road (Haggerty Center) in Van Buren Township.

"The purpose of the field office," said Dr. Julius Brown, regional dean, "is to allow college staff persons the opportunity to inform potential students and residents of Western Wayne County of the academic and career training programs that will be available to them when the newest WCCC Instructional Center opens in the fall."

James R. McCartney, the College's trustee for the Western Region of the College's service district said, "Construction of the new center, located at Haggerty and Tyler Roads, is nearing completion, and the center will be a comprehensive instructional facility offering both liberal arts and transfer programs as well as vocational-technical programs designed to meet the diminishing employment opportunities." McCartney further explained, "The center is a 180,000 square foot building, with two levels, and will house a learning resource center, child care center, vocational shops, and cafeteria."

Vocational programs to be offered at the center include Accounting, Building Operations Management, Business Management, Commercial Vehicle Maintenance, Computer and Data Processing, Diesel Engine Technology, Drafting Design Technology, Electrical/Electronics Technology, and Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning.

Both Trustee McCartney and Dr. Brown invite members of the community to stop by the Field Office between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., weekdays, to further inquire about the College's program offerings.

'Bronco Billy' to fight MD

BELLEVILLE — "Bronco Billy," a movie starring Clint Eastwood and Sandra Locke, will be shown at 7:30 p.m. Friday (March 13) in the Belleville High School Auditorium for the benefit of Muscular Dystrophy.

General admission tickets are \$1.50 and 50 cents for senior citizens. The movie is sponsored by the Student Activities Council of BHS.

Joe Monte may be called at 697-9133 for more information.

Are sports leagues racially aligned?

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bers, league officials said.

3) Romulus Athletic Director (Hardy) must submit a written statement from his Board of Education as to their position on the matter no later than June 1, 1981.

4) The scheduling policy will be reviewed if the Romulus Board of Education decides against joining SAC by June 1, 1983.

Romulus School Supt. Bedell recommended to his School Board members that they not vote to join SAC at this time.

He listed two reasons for his objections. First, "Financial conditions may cause cancellation of portions, if not all of our athletic programs in the near future."

"We need time to approach the legal, quasi-legal, and/or other groups having an impact on the composition of leagues in Southeastern Michigan to determine the appropriateness in terms of geography, school size, and racial composition."

Bedell stated those two reasons in a letter sent to Dr. Milo Meadows, president of SAC and Principal of Robichaud High School, with copies to each school member of the league.

Bedell said Romulus was very interested in playing SAC teams, but

wrote in his letter that even deeper concerns needed to be addressed.

"While Romulus is anxious to schedule contests with members of your league, we have some real concerns about the way athletic conferences are structured in the State of Michigan and, specifically, the Southeastern corner of the state," Bedell's letter stated.

"We take note that the vast majority of the 'independents' are communities that have black populations and we are somewhat taken aback at the fuzziness that exists as to exactly who controls league structure and whether any agencies outside of the local districts themselves has any thing to say about it."

Bedell, in other words, wants to know if predominately "black" schools and athletes are being excluded from leagues in their own communities.

"On the face of it, it looks like the 'black' schools have been systematically segregated into their own league and I would like to find out some answers about the situation," Bedell told Associated Newspapers.

"It is our intent to pursue this matter vigorously with all agencies and organizations to have it resolved," he said.

Bedell concluded his letter to SAC members, "In the meantime, we hope to enjoy a relationship with members of your conference."

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Desecrating a cemetery

Citizens of Romulus were shocked and angry when they learned vandals had wreaked destruction at Romulus Memorial Cemetery last week. This huge granite grave marker — which weighs an estimated ton and a half — was toppled and moved 15 feet from its foundation,

although no marks were found on the ground. Detective Robert Pond (left) of the Wayne County Sheriff's Department is shown the damage by DPW employee Rusty Brown, who has worked at the cemetery for the past seven years.

Vandals strike again - hit Memorial Cemetery

Vandals struck for the second time within a week as they toppled a heavy granite grave marker and smashed plexiglass from a sign at Romulus Memorial Cemetery.

Cemetery workers, who found the damage early last week, estimated the grave marker weighs about 3,000 pounds — a ton and a half.

"It's really a puzzle to us how they moved the heavy marker about 15 feet from its base without any marks on the ground," said Rusty Brown, a DPW employee who has worked at Romulus Memorial Cemetery for seven years.

"There were no tire tracks and no marks on the ground. Usually vandals try to move these heavy markers by rolling them end over end — and then it's really a job to move them," Brown said.

Lt. Robert Pond of the Wayne County Sheriff's Detective Bureau took the report last Wednesday and found a piece of broken chrome from the side of a car at the scene.

"We're not sure at this time whether this piece of broken chrome came from a vehicle that was used to topple the granite marker or not," Pond said. "Any-one with information concerning this vandalism or other destruction should call us at 721-2222."

In addition to the marker and sign, two large cement pots were broken, Brown reported.

"Two years ago, four gasoline multi-lawn mowers were stolen from the storage garage here and things are found missing or broken from time to time," Brown said.

"A few days ago some street lights and garage lights were broken by vandals. That seems to be a constant practice for them — to break out lights around here."

"We had a bronze marker stolen last summer. I can't imagine why people would desecrate a cemetery," Brown said.

City officials agreed, and the cemetery was the topic of conversation around city hall last week. Citizens were reminded that there is a reward from the Secret Witness program for information leading to the arrest and conviction of vandals and thieves.

Persons with information about any vandalism or thievery should call city hall at 941-0666 and ask about the Secret Witness program.

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Price is too high for drain clean-up

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drain grade and clean out to the original width."

A third man stood and explained, "I cleaned out my ditch, it was as clean as this floor. And you're going to charge me \$300 for this? I'm going to charge you \$300," he said, as the crowd laughed in agreement.

There was misunderstanding and confusion on the part of many people about exactly what was happening at the meeting. Some people thought the new assessment had already been levied and that the county was in the process of getting ready to clean the drains.

Others mentioned how much they were assessed on their tax bills for drains and thought that was because of the planned cleaning — if, indeed, it did take place. It was stated that 90 property owners along the Barlow Drain would share the cost of cleaning that ditch, there were 44 adjacent to the Post Drain and 462 lived adjacent to the Vealy Drain and would be assessed for the cost of dredging that ditch if City Council approved hiring the county to clean the drains.

Raspberry asked: "Has the Drain Commission come out and assessed the situation and made a determination of the needs here in Romulus?"

Jarrett replied that a county man had walked the full distance of the drains. He further explained that if the county was contracted to clean the drains it would be to the original depth and configuration of the ditches. "We want to do what the people want, and what they want to pay for," he said.

The Drain Commission's estimate included cleaning any or all three of the 2-mile drains. They explained that it would add considerably to the cost if they hauled away the debris they cleaned from the drains.

A resident stood and inquired of Jarrett, "I paid \$3 last year on Barlow Drain and \$33 this year. Why was it so much more this year?"

Clerk Folmar explained: "That was for normal maintenance of the drain."

Jarrett added, "These costs are based on a complete clean-out of the drains. The costs are levied after the work is done. For instance, no work was done in 1978. The \$3 you paid was for 1977 and the \$33 was for 1979. Two crews cleaned for two days in July 1979 and that's what you were charged for," Jarrett said.

Councilman Rush asked, "How much administrative fee is included in this amount?"

"None," Jarrett replied.

Mayor Pro-Tem Mary Ann Banks, who moderated the public hearing, asked Jarrett, "Who decides that this man pays \$3 one year and \$33 the next?"

That's when Jarrett explained about residents being charged for actual work done.

"Weren't CETA people used to clean the drains in Romulus in 1977 and 1979?" Folmar asked Jarrett.

Jarrett replied, "According to the memo I received, those were regular county maintenance crews." The chief engineer said he had only been in his present position about two years and was not acquainted with what happened prior to that time.

A resident who lives on Taylor Road held up several pictures of his property along Barlow Drain and inquired of Jarrett, "Where has all the money gone that we gave you?"

A lady who resides on Wick Road said, "I've been complaining since 1966. Yes, the drain needs cleaning all right."

Another woman stood and commented that Dearborn was cleaning its own drains and did not get the county

involved. "Can't we clean our own drains?" she asked.

Romulus DPW Director David Paul answered, "We have enough drains to clean now with the manpower available and could not take on all the work involved in cleaning the county drains, too."

When Jarrett assured a lady in the audience that the county crews worked hard, she replied she had never seen them. "Do they come at night in black suits?" she inquired.

Legal Counsel Supowig explained that the county was limited to spending \$800 per mile for cleaning drains. Any other cleaning, he explained, would have to be paid for by the property owners receiving the service.

"My father lives next to the Post Drain and has been billed for \$5,000 for his 55 acres," a lady informed Jarrett. "How in the world will he be able to pay that kind of money?"

And the residents stood one after the other, detailing their problems and repeating the complaint that their drains hadn't been cleaned in a long, long time. One man stood and explained, "I bought my land 21 years ago. The lady I bought it from said she has watched the drain for 40 years and has never seen any work done on it during that time."

A man who lives on Cogswell said the flooding was terrible near his home. "Where I live, you could take a rowboat for five miles," he said.

"We got a bill charging us for \$70," explained another woman. "We cleaned out the drain ourselves — but we still have to pay the \$70. My neighbor is going to be charged \$2,200," she explained.

Clerk Folmar asked Jarrett, "Is there any administrative charge in that \$800 per mile cost or not?"

Jarrett assured him it did not include any administrative fee.

Councilman Ray Cantrell mentioned that it seemed to him that CETA people were used to clean the Romulus drains in 1977 and 1979. "Would you check to see if CETA money was used to clean those drains?" he asked Jarrett, who said he would double-check to make sure.

The city paid CETA people and if they were used to clean drains, it would mean Romulus paid twice for the service.

DetRo

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"I told Mrs. Armstrong to please remove the item from the agenda and inform DetRo I also said I would be responsible for that action," Lowther said. DetRo and the City of Romulus are currently deadlocked and in the courts over the company's plans to build a plant in the city.

Mrs. Armstrong told The Romulus Roman that a special meeting has tentatively been set for 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 18 for the Zoning Board of Appeals to hear the DetRo case. It will be held in the council chambers and is open to the public.

Many who attended the Zoning Board meeting last Wednesday night were confused and upset when they heard DetRo had been removed from the agenda.

"They're playing games with us," one man said in the audience when ZBA chairman Norm McLenon explained why DetRo had been removed from the agenda on advice from the city attorney.

Another woman was convinced that the ZBA approval of a 2-car garage early in the meeting was actually approval for DetRo to build a sludge plant in the city.

County offer to clean drains meets opposition by residents

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The County offered to clean Post Drain for \$27,006.39. Proposition II, which included hauling away the spoil, would cost property owners along the drain \$45,010.59.

Barlow Drain is located south of Wick Road, starts west of Cogswell Road, runs under Wick Road and meets with the Post Drain at the Northwest corner of the C&O Railroad and Wick Road.

Wayne County Drain Commission offered to clean the estimated two miles of Barlow Drain for \$20,999.97. If the county hauled away the debris, the cost would be \$34,999.95.

Vealy Drain begins where the Post and Barlow drains converge, runs east under the C&O Railroad, back under Wick Road, then under Tobine Street, where it goes southeast under Wayne Road and I-94 and enters into the Frank and Poet Drain at Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

The county offered to clean the Vealy Drain for \$14,987.91 and if they cleaned it and carried away the debris, it would be \$25,000.08.

But after one vocal resident after the other stood to his feet to complain and rail against the "inefficiency" of county officials charged with cleaning the drains — it appears there's no way City Council is going to approve contracting Wayne County to clean the drains. Jarrett expressed the Drain Commission's feelings when he said, "We want to do what the people want and what they want to pay for. If they don't want to be assessed and have the drains cleaned, that's okay. We're here to do what the people want us to do."

His assistant, Supowig, who is legal counsel for the Drain Commission, said, by way of explanation, "I think they (Romulus residents) could pay the costs over a period of seven years if they wanted to."

Councilman Ed Rush asked for a "show of hands" from the audience. "How many of you favor paying the county to have your drains cleaned?" he inquired.

Not a single hand was raised among the estimated 200 who attended the public hearing.

"How many don't want your drains cleaned (through a special assessment)?" Rush asked. It appeared as if every hand in the audience was raised in response.

It was a few minutes after the show of hands that Supowig explained residents could be allowed seven years to pay if they chose to be assessed to have the drains cleaned.

In answer to Supowig's remark, Rush replied, "I don't think anyone wants to be assessed to have their drains cleaned if you give them 27 years to pay!"



New Boston friends

People from New Boston are great friends with members of the Romulus Chamber of Commerce. In fact, these four prominent New Boston and Huron Township residents are members of the Romulus Chamber and thoroughly enjoyed the annual Chamber dinner held recently at Knights of Columbus

Hall in Wayne. Raymond Nickol, a New Boston dentist (from left), is shown with his wife, Marilyn, Huron Township Clerk Mary Lou Carey and her husband, Robert Carey, a local contractor.

ANP photo by Lothar Konietzko.

Benefit slated to help injured 9-year-old girl

A benefit "Millionaire's Party," sponsored by the Romulus Rotary Club, will be held on Saturday, April 4, from 6 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Romulus Progressive Club, 11580 Ozga Road, Romulus.

Tickets donation is \$5, and can be purchased at the door or from any Romulus Rotarian.

All proceeds will be donated to pay the medical expenses of Mary King, the 9-year-

old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles King of Romulus.

In January, 1980, Mary suffered extensive damage to her left eye when a knife she was using slipped and pierced the iris, cornea, lens,

pupil and retina.

Emergency surgery was performed at Wayne County General Hospital, after which she was transferred to Mott Children's Hospital in

Ann Arbor for further treatment.

Since that time, she has had repeated operations.

There is still extensive follow-up care needed,

including the possibility of another operation for a cornea transplant.

Insurance for the required medical treatment has been depleted and the medical ex-

penses continue to mount.

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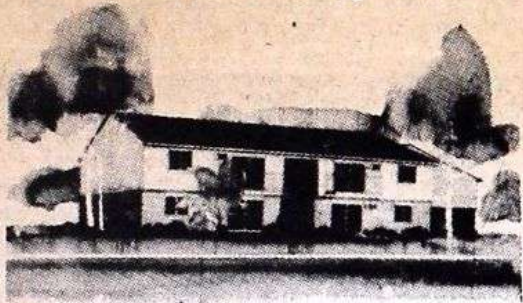
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CITY OF BELLEVILLE COUNCIL MINUTES

MARCH 2, 1981

REGULAR MEETING

A regular meeting of the City Council for the City of Belleville, County of Wayne, and State of Michigan was called to order by Mayor Emerson, with Councilmen Stinehour, Carlson, Tontalo and Loria present.

Also present: B. Ward Smith, Anthony Talaga, Jr., Jerry Remus, John Hoops, Mr. & Mrs. Harry Ostrowski, Leland Fry, Mr. & Mrs. John Otto, Cathy Stabnau, Debra Hendrix, Mr. & Mrs. Chris Lauth, Terry Babenko, Mr. & Mrs. Wojtowicz.

Motion by Stinehour, supported by Carlson, to approve Council minutes of February 17, 1981.

Motion carried unanimously.
Motion by Tontalo, supported by Loria, to receive Planning Commission minutes of February 19, 1981.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Carlson, supported by Tontalo, to adopt Ordinance No. 81-209, an amendment to the Sign Ordinance.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Carlson, supported by Tontalo, to authorize D.P.W. Superintendent prepare concrete slab at base of water tower for building to be used for wiring for fire siren and emergency radio communications.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Carlson, supported by Tontalo, that Waldenmyer's bid of \$3166.61 for garden tractor be accepted, being best lowest bid for 18 h.p. solid state tractor.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Loria, supported by Tontalo, to schedule Special Council meeting for March 11, 1981, 7:00 p.m. for cable television study session.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Tontalo, supported by Loria, to schedule Special Council meeting for March 19, 1981, 7:30 p.m. for meeting with Wade, Trim & Associates.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Stinehour, supported by Carlson, that memorial resolution for Orlo G. Roberts be adopted.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Carlson, supported by Loria, request D.P.W. Superintendent and Electrical Inspector survey library and prepare cost estimate for necessary improvements.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Stinehour, supported by Loria, that letter from Belleville Junior Study Club be placed on file.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Carlson, supported by Stinehour, to authorize DPW Superintendent construct approximately ten sawhorses.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Carlson, supported by Stinehour, to pay bills as presented.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Carlson, supported by Loria, to adjourn meeting 9:00 p.m.

Motion carried unanimously.

Agnes Frisch
City Clerk

Publish 3-11-81

MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SUMPTER TOWNSHIP BOARD HELD ON MARCH 2, 1981

Meeting called to order by Supervisor Reeves at 5:35 P.M. Roll Call Showing:

Present: Supervisor Reeves, Clerk Banotai, Treasurer Duey and Trustees: Reaume, Huziak and Bevins.
Late: Trustee Morgan.
Absent: None.

Also present: Attorney Witthoff and Secretary Sienko.
Motion by Duey, Supported by Banotai to accept agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

Agenda

1. Pledge
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Discussion of Former Township Attorney Harold Hess's bill
5. Planning Commission Report — Floyd Bevins
6. Adjournment.

4. Discussion of Attorney Hess's bill.
Supervisor Reeves opened the discussion by reading the list of legal fees that was submitted to the Township by Mrs. Hess March 10, 1980. The total amount billed the Township is \$100,000.00. Mrs. Hess has submitted only one year of itemized billing. The remaining years billing is only a total amount. The Township Board and Attorney Witthoff are asking for documented bills. Attorney Witthoff has met with Mrs. Hess and he reports that she has given some indication that she might settle without itemized statements.

What Attorney Witthoff is asking of the Board is for the Board to give him some direction as a way to go towards a settlement.

Trustee Morgan suggested a documentation of each year Mr. Hess was Township Attorney and purpose a settlement of the amount now on deposit in the Treasurer's Office.

Motion by Morgan, supported by Duey the Board direct Attorney Witthoff to ask Mrs. Hess for documentation by March 16, 1981, evaluate the amount to be determined, and at that time propose a settlement. Motion carried unanimously.

5. Planning Commission Report — Floyd Bevins
Reported on the election of Peter Kirchner as Chairperson of the Planning Commission with Robert Beattie as Vice Chairperson and Carol Caudill as Secretary. Touched on the two items that were discussed at the meeting, Prince Moons proposed Riding Academy and at Dr. Hunter's suggestion, the adding of several points to the new Landfill Ordinance that should be complete by the next Planning Commission Meeting. Mr. Bevins stated that ended his report.

Motion by Reaume, supported by Morgan to accept Floyd Bevins report on the Planning Commission. Motion carried unanimously.

6. Motion by Duey, supported by Reaume to adjourn meeting. Meeting adjourned at 6:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Louis P. Banotai, Clerk

Certification

I, Louis P. Banotai, Clerk of Sumpter Township, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the minutes taken at a Special Board Meeting, held at the Sumpter Township Hall, 23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, Michigan on March 2, 1981.

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"thumb" area following the devastating forest fires there in 1881.

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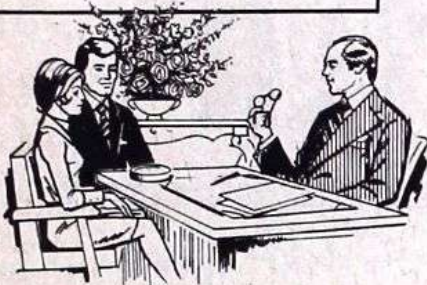
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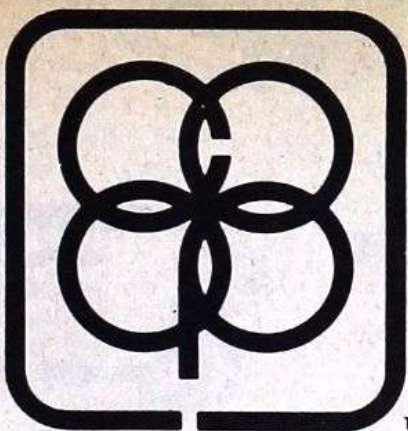
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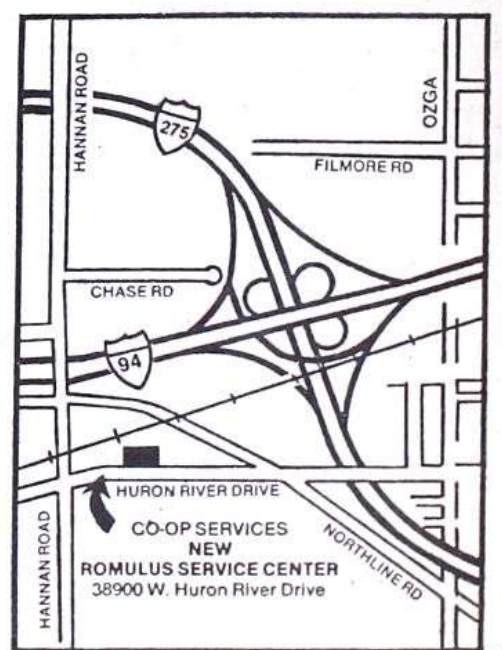
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In the dog and cat, the eyelids must be lifted in order to see if the white of the eye is irritated. If the irritation continues, the animal may begin pawing at the eyes.

Do not put anything into the eyes until you have checked with your veterinarian in order to determine the extent of the problem. Medications that take the redness out of the eyes can stop healing leading to a ruptured eye.

A minor problem can become severe with the wrong course of treatment.

Excessive tearing may be correctable with medication or may require flushing of the tear ducts to decrease the

tearing. Occasionally nothing can be done to stop the tearing. Usually the tearing will only cause a staining of the hair by the eyes and little else.

Some eye problems are difficult to treat and may require medication for the rest of the pet's life. Glaucoma is one of these problems, where pressure builds up in the eye and medication must be given to decrease the pressure because the animal cannot control the

problem by itself.

As the dog ages, it will develop senile cataracts. Cataracts are a clouding of the lens which leads to a decrease in the amount of light reaching the back of the eye, thus leading to the animal having a difficult time seeing in dim light. Luckily, this process happens over a long time as the animal ages and the pet usually adjusts without difficulty.

In a dog or cat, the

sense of smell is more important to its orientation than the sense of sight.

Cuts, scrapes, and ulcers are common on the surface of the eye. If these lacerations are not too deep, they are usually easily healed by placing the pet on antibiotic medication used in the eye four to six times each day. It may be necessary to examine the eye often and to switch the medication after the initial healing to help eliminate scar tissue.

Bleeding into the eye may result from a deep laceration and may possibly lead to permanent damage, causing blindness or in rare cases the removal of the eye.

Eye problems should be examined early to begin treatment quickly, hopefully avoiding extensive treatment or surgery. Eye problems usually heal quickly if treated properly, however, eye problems can also change rapidly for the worse. For this

reason, immediate examination by a veterinarian, followed by regular re-examinations

is suggested in order to avoid major complications or sudden changes to the health of the eye.

CITY OF ROMULUS

THE BOARD OF REVIEW WILL HOLD AN AFTERNOON SESSION ON:

MARCH 17, 1981
3:00-6:00

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City Assessor

Publish March 11, 1981

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Notice is hereby given of a Public Hearing on the Proposed Use of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds for Fiscal Year 1980-81 to be held Tuesday, March 24, 1981 6:30 p.m. in the Romulus City Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan. Public participation is requested.

THIS IS AN OPEN MEETING

Publish: March 11, 1981

City of Romulus NOTICE OF LETTING

BID NO. 81-02

Sealed proposals will be received in the Office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 P.M. March 26, 1981. Bid proposals will be publicly opened and read at that time on the following Parcels of City Owned Properties.

TAX ID. NO.

LOT NUMBERS

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Item #2 Acreage
Item #3 Acreage
Item #4 Acreage
Item #5 Acreage
Item #6 Acreage
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Junction Sub. B1. 21 Lot 23
Junction Sub. B1. 10 Lot 9
Junction Sub. B1. 29 Lot 50
Grand Park Sub. Lot 116
Buckingham Manor Sub. Lot 77 & ½ 78
Buckingham Manor Sub. Lot 162
Supervisors Romulus Plat #5 Lot 60
Junction Sub. B1. 22 Lots 43,44
Junction Sub. B1. 27 Lots 51,52
Junction Sub. B1. 27 Lots 42,42
Grand Park Sub. Lots 173,174,175
Grand Park Sub. Lots 139,140,141
Grand Park Sub. Lots 108,109
Grand Park Sub. Lots 82,83
Grand Park Sub. Lots 76,77
Buckingham Manor Sub. Lots 74,75
Taylor Road Sub. Lots 11,12,13,14
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Applewoode Sub. Lots 96,97,98
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1. Proposals shall be submitted on forms furnished by the City which may be obtained at the Office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, and shall be enclosed in an envelope endorsed: "CITY OWNED PROPERTIES BID".

2. The City reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to waive technicality. The 5% percent bid bond will be required.

Leonard J. Folmar, Clerk
City of Romulus

(Feb. 18, 25; March 4, 11, 18, 25)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID 1980-81 DRAIN CLEANOUT PROGRAM SUMPTER TOWNSHIP, MICHIGAN

Sealed Proposals will be received by Sumpter Township until 1:00 P.M. Local Time, Friday, March 20, 1981, at the Sumpter Township Hall, 23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, Michigan, at which time and place said Proposals will be opened and publicly read for:

9,185 Lineal Feet of Drain Cleanout

Contract Documents are on file with the Sumpter Township Clerk. They may be examined at the Sumpter Township Hall, 23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, Michigan, and copies thereof for bidding purposes may be obtained upon making a payment (check payable to Morris Levine & Associates, Inc.) of Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars if picked up in the Township Hall, or Twenty (\$20.00) Dollars if plans are mailed, none of which will be refunded.

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Sumpter Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any informality in any bids should it consider same to be in the best interest of the Township. Proposals may not be withdrawn for the period of sixty (60) days.

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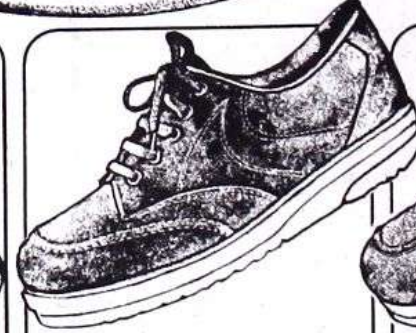
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Members of the International Cadet Squadron 16-6 of Wayne will be collecting papers as part of a paper drive now through March 14.

Westland, Canton Township, Inkster, Romulus, Plymouth and Taylor, where members live. There also will be a drop-off location at 5473 Canton Center Road, for those wishing to help with the paper drive.

The drop-off site will be manned from 7 to 9 p.m. through March 14. All proceeds from the

paper drive will be used by the squadron for such things as camping equipment.

Further information about the paper drive or the squadron, contact Lt. Tegge at 595-6721 (in

Westland) and 2nd Lt. Michael Hembree at 397-8682 (in Canton Township).

CITY OF ROMULUS NOTICE OF LETTING

BID 81-03

Sealed proposals will be received in the office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, until 2:00 p.m., March 17, 1981. Bid proposals will be publicly opened and read at that time on the following:

Main Break & Water Serv. Installation

1) Proposals shall be submitted on forms furnished by the City, which may be obtained at the office of the Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan, and shall be enclosed in an envelope endorsed: Main Break & Water Serv. Installation. 2) The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to waive technicalities. Proposal guarantee in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid will be required.

Leonard J. Folmar, Clerk
City of Romulus

Publish: March 4, 1981
March 11, 1981

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CITY OF ROMULUS NOTICE 1981 BOARD OF REVIEW

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The Board of Review will meet in the office of the assessor, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI 48174, on the following dates by appointment only:

March 9 through March 13, 1981
and
March 16 through March 20, 1981

for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing objections thereto.

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City Assessor
Jo Lynn De Buyscher

PUBLISH: March 4, 1981
March 11, 1981

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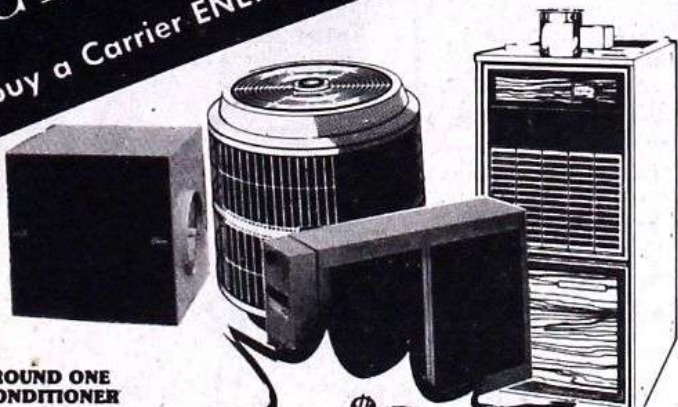
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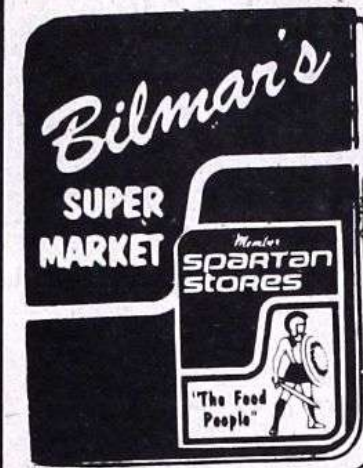
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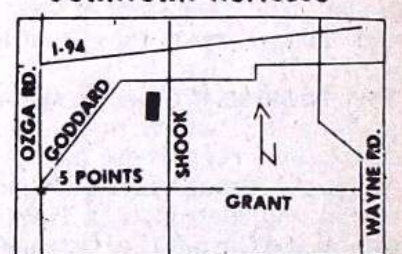
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**Views On
Dental Health**

By
KENNETH A. FOX, D.D.S.

WHY DENTAL FLOSS?

Dental plaque is the primary cause of tooth decay and gum disease. A tooth brush can help remove plaque from visible surfaces but cannot remove it from between the teeth and beneath the gum line. Unwaxed floss is most often recommended to remove plaque from these hidden areas. Here's how to use it:

Cut off about 18 inches of floss and wrap the ends around the middle fingers, leaving about 2 inches between the hands. Guide it with thumbs for the top teeth and index fingers for lowers. Pass the floss gently between two teeth, sliding several times to the gum and back along the side of one tooth. Repeat the scraping on the side of the adjacent tooth and move on until all teeth are flossed.

A word of caution: Always control the floss. Try never to snap the floss suddenly between two teeth as the gums may be sensitive. Use a gentle, sawing motion. If gums bleed, you may be flossing too hard, or they may be in poor health. It makes sense to have your dentist or hygienist demonstrate the flossing method to you. It will help insure the future health of your teeth and gums.

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Old drugs should be quickly destroyed

There's danger lurking in your medicine cabinet, if you're like the many folks who "save" old prescription medications.

Poison Prevention Week, March 15 through 21, would be a good time for you to take stock of your stock of outdated prescription drugs, and get rid of those that have been tucked away on the shelf.

Five hospitals in Western Wayne County are jointly sponsoring a program that will make it easier for you to dispose of those prescription drugs whose medicinal purpose has expired.

Wayne's Annapolis Hospital, Westland's Wayne County General and Metropolitan Hospital-West, Livonia's St. Mary Hospital and Garden City Osteopathic Hospital are offering cash prizes as incentives in an effort to persuade you to clean out your medicine cabinets of prescriptions not in use.

These hospitals are collecting the outdated prescriptions (NOT over-the-counter drugs) March 17 through 21.

In exchange for each prescription container and medicine brought in, they'll give you a "raffle" ticket, and each hospital will award a \$100 and a \$50 prize at a drawing at week's end.

The hospital administrators apparently believe it is worth the money if it convinces you to make your home a bit safer.

We believe that area residents should take advantage of this opportunity to "cash in on safety," as their slogan goes. One of those hospitals is probably within minutes of your home. Take those old bottles, tubes and ointments in.

And while you're at it, maybe you should look at other ways to make your home poison-proof. Danger often lurks in the cabinet under the sink, and in closets, too, where household chemicals are often stored.

Even if you don't win the money donated by those five hospitals, you can win big for the safety of your loved ones during Poison Prevention Week.

An Open Letter

Millage failed — now what do we cut?

An open letter to the residents of the City of Westland from the Westland Firefighters Association:

The City of Westland Administration has previously stated that defeat of the recent millage election was sure to bring about reductions in City services.

It is at this point that the Westland Firefighters Association asks residents of the City of Westland to make a determination as to what services and programs are of greatest importance to them and their families.

In these difficult times for all of us, we must each reassess priorities in our lives. We must determine those things that are necessary and those which are not. This Association feels that a quality fire department is a necessary part of community life.

It is the Administration's plan to cut various programs and services in the City, due to the defeat of the millage proposal. One department to be reduced is the fire department.

However, even at increased manpower levels of a few years ago, the Westland Fire Department was still below recommended levels for a city of comparable size. Even this number of firefighters has been decreased over the years.

A firefighter's job is to save life and protect property.

It is difficult enough even under ideal conditions. The Westland Firefighters Association feels that any attempt to further reduce the life saving and fire-fighting capability of our department is detrimental to the citizens of Westland.

The Firefighters Association urges you to make known your priorities, whatever they may be. Determine for yourself which city services and programs are important to you. Contact our City Council and make your feelings known. They are responsible to you and to no one else. An informed Council is much more able to deal with the difficulties in running city government.

It is this Association's belief that Public Safety should rank high among the list of services necessary for community life. It is hoped that you feel as we do.

Your Continuing Support Inspires Our Dedication.

Sincerely,

WESTLAND FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION

MONA GRIGG

This myth we call the 'free enterprise' system

For whatever reasons, the "Buy American" plan isn't working fast enough. People just aren't buying cars. Cars cost a lot of money and money is a hard thing to come by these days.

The kicker is that, of the people who can afford to buy new cars, a good percentage are buying imports. Things have gotten so bad that President Reagan's top trade negotiator, Bill Brock, is spending a lot of time trying to get the Japanese auto industry to agree to keep their damn fool cars to themselves.

Yeah, people say, it serves them right if Big Brother kicks them out of our back yard. Who do they think they are, anyway, coming in here and just taking over.

Well, I don't know about you, but I don't think it serves them right. Whatever

er happened to Free Enterprise?

For that matter, whatever happened to laissez faire?

Isn't some credibility lost there when, even as we're pushing American-made products round half the world, we're forcing out foreign competition in America because they're gaining on us?

Would we be forcing them out if they were losing? Do other countries try to force us out when we're the best?

With an attitude like that, we could be back in the caves in no time. What if, for example, the Hoover Company asked the government to intercede because Eureka, by building a better vacuum cleaner for less, was forcing them out of business and causing them to lay off able workers?

Would it make sense to force Eureka

out so that Hoover could go on selling lousy vacuum cleaners? Wouldn't you just naturally expect the government to tell Hoover to stop whining and concentrate instead on building a vacuum cleaner that people would buy?

Some of my best relatives are laid-off auto workers, and, sure, they're being taken for a ride... but it isn't by the Japanese. All the Japanese are doing so engaging in a little free enterprise.

So how did even the unions get conned into believing that, if it weren't for the imports, the industry here would be ship-shape and steady as she goes?

Why aren't the unions demanding that the auto execs stop concentrating on profits and pies-in-the-sky and start pushing inexpensive, good quality, long lasting products the public can buy without feeling cheated?

Profiles in Photography

By Lothar Konietzko



North woods await Spring

Develop or stagnate

The personality of a city is much the same as that of an individual. All the older cities of the metropolitan area have their own distinct personality, maintained by the residents of that municipality. The cities' personality may only be skin deep, as the facades of the downtown businesses or steeped in a long tradition of many generations.

The fact remains that a city's personality, as that of an individual must continue to grow or it will stagnate and slowly dies. The factor which most effects human personality is self image. A positive self image helps us grow and develop; the same holds true of the city. The city must continue to grow and develop, to maintain a positive self image. If the people who live in the city constantly downgrade it and are not willing to improve it, the city will deteriorate and lose its quality of life.

Today the city of Wayne stands at an interesting crossroads.

Do we develop or stagnate? To put this question into proper perspective we must look at our downtown's past. Downtown Wayne developed over a long period of time into one of the most important commercial centers in Western Wayne County.

Then, it started to stagnate with age. The leaders of our city came upon a popular plan of the day to rebuild downtown. It was called Urban Renewal. Basically, this approach was to knock down all the old buildings and start over with a new downtown. The tearing down went well but, as we all can see today, the rebuilding has not been as successful.

So, is it any wonder that people react with fear to any talk of downtown development? This fear only allows them to hear and read what downtown development might be in light of their past experience.

Is downtown development urban renewal? NO! It is, in fact, a method of carefully planning the rebuilding and breathing of new life into a stagnant core area of our city.

The next question is, is there a plan to do this? The answer is NO again. In fact, the main job of the

Downtown Development Authority is to develop such a plan for this rebirth. The plan we've heard about in this paper, proposed by Mr. Gerald Luedtke and Assoc., is just that — a proposal. The Authority may accept, modify, change or throw it out and adopt an altogether different plan.

What the Authority comes up with depends on the input they receive from the citizens of Wayne's business and residential communities. In fact, the law governing the D.D.A. states that if over a hundred people reside in the district there must be a citizens council to advise the D.D.A. This council is made up of nine persons living in the district.

Will public tax dollars be spent to help private businesses? Not directly, there will be no monies given directly to private businesses. There will be tax dollars spent on public improvements such as sidewalks, pedestrian plazas, parking areas and other street furniture which in turn will bring about a more pleasant shopping atmosphere and improve overall business in the area.

Will my taxes go up because of downtown development? There is no reason to believe that downtown development will raise the taxes of the citizens of Wayne. The downtown financing plan will only use new tax dollars brought in by new development and improvements in the area.

In my opinion, the citizens of Wayne, who for years have complained of a downtown full of empty lots should inform themselves by attending the D.D.A. meetings on the first Thursday of each month. They should find out firsthand what's going on downtown. They should have input into the plan that is being developed for their downtown and not just take the work of people who are against the new development in our city.

I vote for development, not stagnation for the city of Wayne. I still believe it's great to live in Wayne and want to make it better.

ROBERT J. BEENY
Wayne

The Other Side of the Meridian

Would you hire your mother?



By TOM MOORADIAN
Managing Editor

Nepotism has been with us since the dawn of civilization. And probably will remain with mankind until the end of time. It is the art, the politics of appointing a relative to a lucrative job.

It also is deep-rooted in politics and exemplified by the historic truism: "To the victor belongs the spoils." Few will forget the press conference President John F. Kennedy held when he announced that brother Bobby, was his choice for Attorney General because "Bobby needed to get some legal experience somewhere and why not at the top?"

And there was a maddeningly rush of calls to this office this week when the news broke that Canton Township Treasurer Marie Falkiewicz had hired as her deputy her very own mother. Now most children will do anything for a loving mother, but hire her? Pay her a salary?

When the question was tossed at the first-term Canton treasurer she replied: "How do things get turned around so? My mother is not on the township payroll."

What has happened is that Mrs. Falkiewicz must, by law, appoint a deputy treasurer. Her mother, Athena, better known as Tina in these parts, volunteered to help out.

"She definitely is not going to be paid for her help," Treasurer Falkiewicz pointed out. "Please make that clear. She is helping me on a voluntary basis."

Mrs. Falkiewicz, who has the responsibility of executing the financial needs and welfare of a township that has blossomed into a population of 48,000 people. In her realm falls the all-important signing of checks, collection of tax monies and acceptance of fees for licenses and permits.

"The township board at present is making a complete assessment of the department (treasurer's department) and of its needs," said Mrs. Falkiewicz, "and, in the interim, until the board makes a final determination on what is needed, we've asked my mother to help out."

Is mother qualified to do the job? "She taught me my bookkeeping when I was 9 years old and has a more solid business background than I do, would you believe?"

Now that we have dispensed the clouds of nepotism, maybe we should campaign for Tina for Treasurer?

Tina for Treasurer — sounds like a pretty good campaign slogan to me, doesn't it?

To our readers:

The Associated Newspapers welcomes letters from its readers. We urge the writers, however, to try to keep the letters brief and to the point. Letters must be signed and the writer's name will be withheld only if a good reason is presented. Please address your letters to: TO THE EDITOR, Associated Newspapers, 35540 Michigan Ave., Wayne, Michigan 48184.

The airlines are happy, the passengers are happy — even L.A. is happy. Now the airlines decide that, since people are in the habit of flying again, they'll raise the rates and make even more profit — for exploration, or something.

At any rate, the goody packages are gone. \$650 round-trip to L.A., no specials, no exceptions. People stop flying. The airlines start crying.

If I remember my "Introduction to Business" right, free enterprise used to mean that if you made a good quality product and/or provided a good quality service and sold it for a fair price, you could be reasonably assured — after some lively competition — that the best man would ultimately win.

I guess they don't teach it that way anymore.

Image their surprise when they found out that mediocre is mediocre, no matter what the hype. Now they're making better films and charging less admission and people are filling the theaters to capacity.

The airlines are another example. They can't — or won't — get off that ridiculous seesaw they're on. They decide to raise the rates and find that nobody flies for pleasure anymore. They cry a lot, cut back on personnel, and drop scheduled routes because they can't afford to fly near-empty planes.

Finally, someone gets desperate, comes up with a Super-Saver and the price war is on: \$150 roundtrip to, say L.A., with a few stipulations. It works.

Should we be expected to shell out big bucks on something we don't want simply because it's made in America by Americans and to do otherwise is somehow unpatriotic?

We Americans are funny about things... if we don't like it, or if it costs too much, we don't buy it. It's as simple as that. We've been that way for a couple of centuries now, and, sooner or later, big business is going to catch on.

A few years back, the film industry decided that they needed a boost, and the way to get it was to produce multi-million dollar films and charge the Lucky Ones five dollars a ticket to see them. The logic was if they spent millions on the production and charged a lot at the box office, the public would think they were really seeing something.

On recall of commissioners

EDITOR: After reading the article, in The Associated Newspapers, regarding the recall of the Wayne County Commissioners, I for one, find I must agree with Kathy Knable that the board of commissioners as presently established is an unnecessary and over-rated, over-paid, bureaucracy that we tax payers can ill-afford.

Since living in Wayne County, almost continuously since 1927, and observing their lack of concern for the residents, and/or problems faced daily by our citizens of this county, and failing to face up to their responsibilities in an honest, and sincere manner it has been my honest opinion for quite some time that if we had one half, or one third as many as at present, than insisted, they carry out their duties as a responsible body should we would all be much better-off, and use the salaries saved for other worthwhile causes.

With the attitude some of our elected, and appointed officials for the last few years, it's way past time for the taxpayers, and voters demand an honest days work, and a show of responsibility from our officials, or move them out.

We need twenty-seven people on that board, like we need ten or twenty more counties in this state.

GEORGE W. ADKINS
Inkster

About anti-gun campaign

EDITOR: One can tell by reading Jason Cheever's anti-gun letter that he never really has read the McClure Valkmer bill.

Nothing in that bill gives criminals the right to buy guns. It does protect people from the B.A.T.F. and its high handed ways.

The N.R.A. has always supported good laws where guns are concerned, and believes that the criminal is re-

sponsible for crime not the weapon used.

Mr. Cheever says to buy a gun you just sign a statement that you are not a felon, etc.

He cannot even buy a gun in Washington, D.C. It's against the law to buy a hand gun there.

I'm getting tired of these people and their outright fabrications.

S.K. PULLEN
Belleville

A poet says 'Thank You'

EDITOR: I can never thank your newspaper enough for the front page coverage you gave me and my book "Leaves of Freedom".

You gave me the boost that every amateur poet and writer dreams of.

The popularity you generated in my behalf has already had far reaching effects. Any further success lies within the merits of my book.

If I go no further, I have touched many hearts and won many fans.

I know you didn't have to go all out for me. You must feel I'm a little above the ordinary and I shall forever be in your debt.

You have picked me up as high as you could. The rest is up to me. I hope I am worthy of your effort.

EDWARD A. KIND
Romulus

Mayor Taylor's departure

EDITOR: Tom Taylor, Westland's mayor, once said at a public meeting, "Ego don't catch flies." Among things he might lack, ego isn't among them. If he is such a great administrator and could win on his record, why is he getting out of the kitchen when it's getting too hot?

What he will leave is a city in confusion.

Commercial development has been allowed to grow like "Topsy."

Industrial development, with its tax break incentives, will haunt the tax paying homeowner for years to come. With small direct benefit to the city, it has had a negative effect on nicely developed areas.

How many Westlanders work in these new sites?

Among things Tom Taylor failed to do was lead the city in the direction of self-improvement.

With the proper city encouragement and the co-operation of the Chamber of Commerce, existing business places could have been led in a program of clean-up and updating.

The benefits would have been twofold. Improved business would result and the face of Westland would have been enhanced. This in turn would have encouraged a natural chain of development. Have you given Wayne Road or Ford Road business places a hard look lately?

The city couldn't be in a graver financial condition. Certainly, no one person can control general economic conditions that affect us all.

But a responsible leader should have sensed, even four years ago, that the broad economic picture was changing in a way that would affect communities, like Westland, directly.

The time was then for a good administrator to take a hard look at the responsibilities placed in his hands and get his financial house in order.

The time was then to ACT in an orderly way. What we see now is REACTION in the form of sudden municipal layoffs, and curtailing of city services. Let's not forget the mileage hike request that failed. The easy way out is to quit the job. Wouldn't it be nice if we could shed the conditions we are left with so easily?

I do hope that Taylor's decision, not to run again, brings out candidates that are fresh and unencumbered by cronyism.

I shudder to think that all we will get to pick from will be the old entrenched non-doers.

The list could go on and on. Spare us all.

In closing I would like to wish Tom

Taylor all the best of luck with his cable consulting firm.

JERRY MCGUE
Westland

More women's sports, please

Editor: I was very pleased to see the Sports Sections included a picture and an article about the Wayne Memorial High School's Girls Volleyball team.

Coach Doris Busuito (Varsity) and Coach Bolyard (Junior Varsity) and their teams are undefeated in league play and have won numerous tournaments this year. They've done an OUTSTANDING job representing this area and deserve all the "ink" you can give them.

Again, thanks for your coverage and continued of womens sports.

KATHERINE HAYES
Westland

Tax-Axe-Tion group unites

EDITOR: Downriver Tax AXE-TION Group came into existence because of a common concern of many citizens in Wayne County — the economic burden created by Public Act 114.

Some criticism has been heard that this raising of voices has been somewhat self-centered. The truth or untruth of that criticism is a question that will never be decided in our courts; it is a matter of personal opinion.

The fact that these citizens have been heard, however, brings out a much more important principle. These people have vented their anger and frustration by positive methods — they have taken pen in hand and let their legislators know their feelings. They have proven that the private citizen can have a voice in the decision-making process of their municipality, county and state.

HARRY E. LABELLE
Chairperson
DOWNRIVER TAX AXE-TION
GROUP

Friends rally to help victims

EDITOR: Our family would like to tell everyone how very much we appreciated their help when we needed it!

We lost our house to a fire, on Feb. 9th. We thank the Van Buren Township Fire Department for their quick response to our call.

Unfortunately, for us, though, most of our clothes, and all of our furnishings were fire or smoke damaged.

The news story printed in your paper, shortly after, got a wonderful response.

People called to ask what they could do to help. Food, clothing, bedding. It was wonderful, total strangers responding so generously. We Thank You!

Our neighbors, the Rowsey's, took us into their home for a week, while we looked for a home to rent. We can't possibly thank them enough.

Many of our other neighbors, friends & relatives were wonderfully generous and we're especially grateful.

Also all those associated with the Cub Scout Pack 924, get our heartfelt thanks. They did unbelievable things for us!

And The Belleville Church of God for their surprising contribution. We thank everyone. May God Bless You.

DAVID & KATHRYN
Carr & Children
VAN BUREN

Thank you

EDITOR: I would like to take a moment or two to express my thanks to you people for the article in Feb. 25 and 26 '81 issue of the Wayne Eagle about my son, Gary's life style on the island of Guam.

Also give my special thanks to Kay De Bord for the fine job she has done in getting this article put together.

LOUIS B. WILES
WAYNE

Where's sports coverage?

EDITOR: I like to be aware of local news in regards to Romulus.

That's why I weekly read the Associated. But there is one thing that bothers me about the paper and that is the sports section.

I don't think our schools or teams in Romulus get enough athletic coverage from your staff.

Hopefully, this situation will be solved in the near future.

KEVIN HANLON
Romulus

Poems and headaches

EDITOR: I hope my sending in poems and things is not getting to be a headache. I have been fooling around for about ten years, but nothing serious before I lost my job in January. It's better then sitting around and worrying. I know some of my writing is a little out of line but sometime I let my personal feelings get the best of my better judgment. I would like to extend a very warm thank you for printing "America the Beautiful", as this is sort of my pride and joy. If you have no objection I will continue to send something in each week and you do what you think is proper with it.

WILLIAM W. RADTKE
Westland

On helping our seniors

EDITOR: According to a recent survey, workers 45 years and older make up nearly half of the national labor force. Almost 1.3 million people in Michigan's labor force are in this category. Many of these senior workers hold executive and professional jobs that offer prosperous economic benefits for retirement.

However, older workers who lose their jobs before retirement or are receiving minimal retirement benefits are finding their future increasingly difficult.

Many employers are reluctant to hire older workers, favoring their younger counterparts instead. Most employers don't realize a recent study indicates peak working performance is reached between the ages of 51 and 60. Company records show older workers with better attendance, health and injury records than their younger peers.

Finding employment for the aged is only part of an overall problem facing Michigan. Our state unemployment rate is the highest in the country. Older workers unable to find another job are facing challenges reminiscent of the Depression era of the 1930's. Adding to this enigma are strong lifelong area ties that often make an older worker unwilling to relocate.

The future of the social security system might be an ominous black cloud to future retirees. Changes must be made within the system to assure workers who have contributed to the system the enjoyment of the benefits in later life. As social security is structured now, many retired workers are receiving inadequate benefits and are trying to re-enter the labor force to meet cost of living increases.

To focus attention on these problems the Michigan Office of Services to the Aging (OSA) is observing "National Employ the Older Worker Week" March 8-14. It is a good time for each of us to examine our attitudes toward older workers. Employers should consider whether age or ability gets higher priority in hiring. We must not overlook the contributions older workers have made, and still can make, to our labor force.

KENNETH E. OETTLER
Director of OSA

We'll miss Bradley

Editor: It is not uncommon for people to take for granted when another has given them good service and shown fairness to them, so it is with this thought in mind I wanted to write the newspaper a short note to let you know how much we appreciated working with James Bradley.

What with the sometimes controversial nature in City/Township government, it has been our experience that Jim Bradley has always shown fairness and open-mindedness in reporting these issues.

We wish to acknowledge to the paper our gratitude for having had the opportunity to work with Jim and wish him the best of success in the future.

MARIA STERLINI FALKIEWICZ
Treasurer of Canton

Dyer 'receives what he wants'

EDITOR: What school Superintendent, Timothy J. Dyer wants, Dyer gets.

Recently he received a hefty raise in salary, fringe benefits, a new three-year contract, an 8 percent tax sheltered annuity, plus other goodies. This was thru the generosity of the six school board members who are all heart for Dyer but not for the taxpayers.

Now, the Westland City Council decided to make it a little bit easier for Supt. Dyer. The council voted to have Westland's Finance Director Kent Herbert collect the districts school taxes twice a year.

Using this method won't seem like the taxpayer is paying the highest school tax rate in the State of Michigan.

Finance Director Kent Herbert said "The change has created minimal problems for the city." I disagree with that statement.

Bookkeeping agencies, or certified public accountants, will tell you, that any business transaction handled twice cost more.

The City of Westland is in enough financial trouble now. No need to take on any more burdens of the Wayne-Westland School Districts trouble.

JOSEPH J. DOLINE
Westland

Reflections

Street named 'Peyton Place'

HEMET, CALIFORNIA: In this town there is a street called 'Peyton Place.' My sister doesn't live on that street; but 'Peyton Place' has been occurring in her home of late in a manner that has kept the head on this body swiveling until the neck is almost swiveled off.

It all began one day when a handsome young mountain of a man came to see my brother-in-law. His brown eyes lit up the dark hallway and when he swept the cowboy hat from his head the hair sprung up as though it were attached to a high voltage wire.

What he was, was a good looking man and after he left I said as much to my brother-in-law.

"He's good looking, all right," my brother-in-law replied, "but he's a son-of-a-bitch."

That disappointed me a lot since I was feeling motherly toward that young man, but I didn't know whether I should say anything more for fear of tiring Glenn, so I just sat and looked pensively out of the window until my brother-in-law said "He was caught in bed with his best friend's wife."

"Who caught him?" I asked. "His best friend." The ring of the doorbell shrilled through the house and I heard my sister's voice greeting more visitors.

"My God," whispered my brother-in-law. "There's his best friend now. Did that S.O.B. get out of here in time?"

"I think so," I answered, quivering with the excitement of it all. Nothing like a good juicy novel happening right in your own house.

The best friend was a handsome hombre, too, in his close-fitting western garb and his magnificent black mustaches drooping and swooping under his nose. On his arm was a tall, slender, dramatic young woman.

"No wonder mountain-man found her hard to resist," I whispered to my sister. "Oh, that's not 'best friend's' wife," my sister replied. "She is the ex-wife of mountain man."

"My gosh," I breathed. Now, dear reader, if you haven't gotten this straight, let me help you for the maze grows more entangled as we proceed. The young woman on Best Friend's arm

was the wife of Mountain Man and she divorced him after he was found in the bed of Best Friend's wife. Now Best Friend and wronged wife were a cozy twosome.

The ring of the doorbell brought me back to the living room where a young woman was being ushered in with a casserole and a big bowl of jello for the sick one. She was stopped in the middle of the room by a high, ringing laugh coming from the bedroom.

"Claire," she asked. "Is that Patty Benson?"

"I don't know her name," my sister said, for the men who worked with and for her husband had been largely unknown to her until he took to his bed in illness.

The girl peered down the hall into the bedroom and then drew back quickly, her hand trying to pull a shade over her face, lest she be seen.

"Don't you know who SHE is?" she asked.

"Nope," my sister retorted. "I just know she used to married to 'Mountain-Man.'"



JOYCE HAGELTHORN

"SHE is the one who has been going with my brother, Al, and bilked him out of \$5,000 before kissing him off."

My gosh, I thought, I've got to go take another look at her, since I've spent a lot of years trying to figure out a way to make money. And her being just a girl, too.

Doesn't it sound like Peyton Place to you? But wait! It isn't finished yet.

It was just a matter of hours before a good-looking, bronc-bustin' cowboy swaggered in with a seductive little minx on his arm. You guessed it. SHE was the original sinning wife, and HE was the guy who was bilked out of \$5,000. Ah so!



CAROL PREMO, PhD.

am raisin an alien. He is so removed from what I believe is normal in terms of kindness and compassion. I don't know where to turn.

Frightened

Dear Frightened,

It sounds as if your son is developing some serious problems. Such cruelty is not normal and should not be condoned. He and his parents (both you and your husband) need to see a therapist immediately.

I stress that your husband be involved as he could undermine therapy with his current attitudes. However, if he initially refuses to go, take your son and go anyway.

Since you do not indicate what area you live in, all Community Information Services, Phone Number: 843-3430 for the name of a family therapist nearest you.

venience of a false alarm, then the tragedy which results from an attack on a child.

Pedophiliacs function under the cover of fear and embarrassment of others. Children cannot protect themselves and they do not have the maturity required for consent and it is therefore up to us to protect them. Don't be afraid, they need you.

Dear Carol,

My 8-year-old son worries me. He bullies other children, sometimes he even hurts them. He is cruel to animals: I caught him tying the legs of frogs together and throwing them in the lake to drown.

He routinely lies whether it is to his advantage or not. Punishment of any kind does not make the slightest impression on him.

I have spent much time with him discussing what is right and wrong, compassion, kindness, as well as demonstrating these traits in my behavior.

My husband says he is a typical boy and that I should not try to turn him into a sissy.

Sometimes when I look at him I think I

have the problems. But there is a way in which you and everyone else can help.

Pedophilia (the situation of adults who have children as the objects of sexual desire) is a serious illness which has been around for a long time.

People have denied its existence or tried to minimize it because they were as horrified and scared as you are. But hiding from a problem is certainly not helping to protect our children.

But, what can you do? First, be aware. Who does the child associate with? When, where, why? Why is the adult showing such an interest? IS it all children or are some singled out? Know the people your children associate with.

Secondly, parents can try to keep communication open with their children and encourage them to share it if something unusual occurs.

Teach children the basic rules of safety such as not going with strangers, not hitchhiking, not getting into a car with a stranger, etc.

Third, all citizens can accept some responsibility for the welfare of our children. If you see something suspicious, check on it.

Don't be embarrassed. Most parents would rather experience the mild incon-

Concerned Adult

Dear Concerned,
If we had the answers we wouldn't

Ask Carol Premo

Children and pornography

DEAR CAROL,

Last week I watched two very disturbing programs on television and they have really made me suspicious.

On these programs it showed men who liked kids as sex objects. They even got the kids into pornography. These were men who seemed nice and the kids really like them.

The parents never knew what was going on. The whole thing is really scary and has me freaked out. I don't have any children of my own but I really do worry about a little one being destroyed.

But what can you do to stop it? How do you know?

Today when I was at the bowling alley I noticed a man give a drink of beer to a little girl. He smiled down at her and was being very "sweetie" to her.

I immediately thought he was a child molester and almost slugged him. I didn't know what to do but kept an eye on him. Well, he turned out to be her father!

Can you imagine what would have happened if I had said anything. So, what's the answer?

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Funny yet very serious

Canton cartoonist lets imaginary characters deal with the real world



Tom Stevens expresses many of his impressions of the real world through the cartoon characters in his strip, "Spacy Jane." Spacy Jane, Ralph and Minky have used humor to

make some very serious statements during the past five years. And Stevens is hopeful that they'll make many more in the future. Photo by Lothar Konietzko.

By DENNIS NIEMIEC
Playtime Coordinator

Spacy Jane's physical attributes wouldn't rate a 10 by any stretch of the imagination. More like a 1 or 2. In fact, even Jane's creator compares her shape to a "vertical hors d'oeuvre."

But that's okay. Spacy Jane is only a caricature, a product of Tom Stevens' very creative imagination. And one of the featured stars in a cartoon strip Stevens has been working on since his high school days.

"My goal is to make people think through humor," explained the 23-year-old cartoonist. "The 'Spacy Jane' strip is social satire — the characters are shown in day-to-day situations to get a message across. Sometimes they act contrary to my own personal views."

Spacy Jane, Ralph and Minky romp across the pages of Stevens' fictional world in a simple yet provocative way.

They're often confused about the world's complex problems, but their interactions certainly provide food for thought.

"I've done a few hundred of these," said Stevens, showing a sample of his work which has appeared in several publications, including the University of Michigan student newspaper, The Michigan Daily. "They've dealt with everything from taxes, war, delusion and pomposity to sex, movies and television."

"People in Ann Arbor either loved or hated Spacy Jane," he added. "Some called (the strips) 'dense and senseless' and others said they were the 'vanguard of the future.' I was just pleased that people were stirred up."

This Canton resident has been stirring up people with his drawings since his early childhood, long before Spacy Jane became a reality.

"I was always drawing in class and having the teacher take the crayons and pencils away from me," Stevens laughed. "Now I'll draw anywhere, even on the floor. Sometimes I'll finish seven or eight cartoons — they only take a few minutes to complete."

"Our culture is changing. It's becoming more receptive to cartoon strips. Sometime in the future cartoons will be their own culture." — Tom Stevens

"Drawing is just as important in a cartoon as the words."

Stevens, currently working towards a communications degree from the University of Michigan, is in the process of turning his drawing talents into a commercial venture. The John Glenn High graduate designs and prints various kinds of T-shirts, sweatshirts and jackets, specializing in individual requests.

However, the 'Spacy Jane' strip still holds a special place in his life and probably always will. One can sense the genuine emotion as Stevens explains what makes these cartoon characters tick.

"Spacy is just a name for Jane, she's not your typical woman necessarily," her creator explained. "She's brittle, tense, innocent, a series of match sticks held together with meat. Jane is a sweetheart, yes, that's the best way to describe her — a sweetheart."

"Now Ralph, he's a big blustery character, partly an Archie Bunker," Stevens continued, more than willing to unveil his cartoon stars. "He can be in delicate, stupid and strong, an extreme opposite to Jane."

Are they married?

"Well, not exactly," Stevens hesitated. "Let's say it's a modern marriage. Ralph doesn't treat her badly despite their differences. He's changed a lot over the years."

The strip's newest character, Minky, shows the complexities of Stevens' imaginary creations. A cocktail waitress with a Ph.D. in genetic engineering, Minky often waits on Ralph at the bar. "Great legs," declared Stevens, nodding his head for emphasis. "Minky is a Marlene Dietrich character. And she has all that education but can't get a job in her field. That's a social comment in itself."

Social comment remains the key to Spacy Jane's existence. Comics, Stevens is quick to point out, can be a powerful means of communication. Their value has yet to be fully realized, according to this lanky Canton cartoonist.

"Cartoons are not only drawings, they describe real life situations," explained Stevens. "One innocent looking cartoon can say big things."

"Anything can be addressed through humor," he added. "My favorite cartoon dealt with nuclear war because it seems to be the biggest threat in our lives. Spacy Jane tried to resolve any fears a day at a time by recognizing the sheer madness of nuclear war and spitting in its eye... and praying."

As for the future of Jane and friends, Stevens is confident that they'll eventually find their niche in life.

"Our culture is changing," said Stevens. "It's becoming more receptive to cartoon strips. Sometime in the future cartoons will be their own culture."

Spacy Jane and Tom Stevens wouldn't mind that one bit.

What's That Sound?

By STEVE O'LEARY



It's still rock and roll

"Hot funk,
Cool punk,
Even if it's old junk,
It's still rock and roll to me." — Billy Joel

Labels, as they are used (and misused) in the genre of rock and roll are at once both infuriating and hilarious. Infuriating when you hear statements from supposedly intelligent people like "Oh no man, I'm not into punk... I'm into rock and roll." (That's like saying that "no, I'm not into albums, I'm into records.") And they're hilarious for the exact same reason.

When it originated, in England, circa 1975, the concept of "punk" was overtly political, being in part a revolutionary movement against musical lethargy, political helplessness and just life in general. Anyone with any kind of a sociological background will tell you that these uprisings aren't all that unusual. Take the beatniks and hippies for instance.

Anyway, it's obvious that such a thing couldn't catch on in the U.S., because for the most part, we have it too good. In the translation, it was the fast, loud music that got tagged punk rock.

Somehow though, the tag also stuck to anyone who was playing new music which happened to emerge at that time. For instance, Elvis Costello was considered "punk" at first. Then, when the term "New

Wave" washed in, Costello was stuck there.

Linda Rondstadt did versions of his songs, which must have made him acceptable, because now he's even played on WJR. All this, but his music never changed its style one single iota. It's no wonder that the title of one new-wave sampler album was "Propaganda." The thing is, that these days, anything that doesn't sound like Kansas/Styx/Journey is called new-wave.

OK, so let's go over some of the terms. Punk. New-wave. Now-wave. Power-pop, or pop-rock (not to be confused with "pop rocks," which is a candy). Heavy-metal. Art-rock. Glitter-rock. Acid-rock. Destructo-rock (as popularized by the Plasmatics). Did I forget anything? What? Oh, OK. Rock and roll.

Now, as much as I despise labels on music (because the cross-over is so high), I often find myself succumbing to the temptation of using them, especially in writing, because it's easy. Because of this, in an attempt to make things easier still for myself, I've invented a few labels of my own:

"Pretentious-rock" — real big in England right now. "Nouveau-wave" — originated in upper Manhattan, big with preppies nationwide. "T & A-rock" — self explanatory. "Rip-tide rock" — opposite of new-wave.

Then again, maybe Billy Joel was right all along.



Punk, the way it was — Johnny Rotten of the Sex Pistols in 1976.

Allen comedy coming to Westland

Woody Allen's comedy "Don't Drink the Water," the Wayne-Westland Civic Theatre's third mainstage show in its 21st season, is scheduled for a two weekend run on March 13, 14, 20, and 21 at 8 p.m. at the John Glenn High Auditorium in Westland.

"Don't Drink the Water" is the story of the Hollander family. Walter (Fred Button), Marion (Rosemary Moorehead), and their stunning daughter Susan (Carla Lenhoff), and their experiences as accused spies in an Iron Curtain Country. The show opens with the Hollanders running from Krojack (Mark Watzl), the vicious head of the secret police, to the American Embassy. Here they are greeted by Axel Magee (John Eastman), the bungling son of the ambassador (Fred Montgomery).

And here is where it all starts — at the suggestion of an eccentric priest, Father Drobney (Mark Renfrow), who is also an amateur magician, they plan

their only course of action to return to the good 'ole U.S.A. — ESCAPE.

Meanwhile, Magee and Susan take a loving interest in each other. Walter argues with the chef (Ravin Jordan), because he doesn't like "European" food. Marion is constantly cleaning and polishing everything in the Embassy.

Krojack and his followers have surrounded the Embassy and vowed not to leave until the "Spies" come out. Everyone has forgotten the arrival of the oil rich Sultan of Bahir (Al Meagher) and his wife (Mary Cobello), who find the Embassy in total chaos.

At a reception for the Sultan, the Hollanders attempt their escape. Other cast

members include Mr. Kilroy (Tobin Hisson), an aide at the Embassy. Yanis Kasnar (Bruce Scott) and the Countess (Mary Jo Cobello), guests at the reception.

Michael Swain will debut as a director with assistance from producer Maggie Applegate and technical director David Carrick.

Tickets, priced at \$3.50 for adults and \$2.50 for students and senior citizens, are available from any member of the Wayne-Westland Civic Theatre. Group rates are available. For further information contact Swain at 495-0422 or Anne Button at 261-3183.

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MOVIES

Don't expect Chan sequels to this bomb

By J. T. YURKO
Special to Playmate

'Charlie Chan and the Curse of the Dragon Queen,' from American Cinema Releasing. Directed by Clive Donner, written by Stan Burns and David Axleroid. Starring Peter Ustinov, Lee Grant, Angie Dickinson. Rated 'PG.'



Chan films starred Warner Oland, who played the role until his death in 1937. He was replaced by Sydney Toller, and then briefly by Roland Winters.

Ustinov is a fine actor who cannot be blamed for the very quiet reaction to what was supposed to be a comedy film. The best cinematic send-ups of campy old moves are usually done with humor to be sure, but also with a touch of nostalgia for what they are spoofing.

The filmmakers here took only the most obvious traits of the old Chan films and simply exaggerated them to the point of absurdity. This amplified style of satire is like shouting a bad joke — it doesn't make the joke any better.

'Charlie Chan' was directed by Clive Donner, who recently directed 'The Nude Bomb,' the movie version of the old TV series 'Get Smart.' Like that film, 'Charlie Chan' has little in the way of wit or cleverness.

Donner's chase sequences are far too long, largely uneventful, and often just plain noisy. And like another recent nostalgia-murder-mystery film, 'The Mirror Crack'd,' this film begins with a black-and-white movie-within-a-movie that seems to have more style and atmosphere than the one that follows.

Angie Dickinson walks through her role as the Dragon Queen in what eventually becomes little more than a sub-plot. Lee Grant has a few humorous moments as the family matriarch, and Richard Hatch comes down to Earth from his 'Battlestar Galactica' role to become 'number one grandson' to Chan.

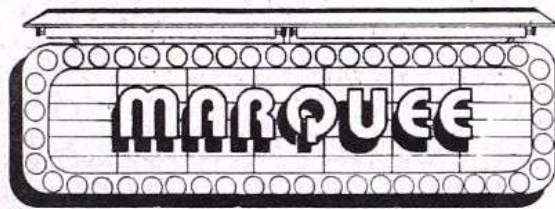
He is more clumsy than Clouseau ever was, but nowhere near as funny.



Thomas coming to Louis Arena

Kurt Thomas will display the talents that made him a gymnastics champion, as he and select men from the U.S. National Gymnastics Team accompany Nadia Comaneci and the Romanian Women's Gymnastics Team on their six city tour — Nadia '81. The athletes will be in Detroit and the Joe Louis Arena Sunday, March 15 at 2 p.m.

Thomas is gymnastics biggest celebrity in the U.S.A. . . . perhaps the world . . . to date. In June, 1980, Kurt Thomas retired from amateur gymnastics competition. He retired from six consecutive seasons on the U.S.A. Men's Gymnastics Team.



'Sphinx' rates simply as another updated film cliché

By J. T. YURKO
Special to Playmate

'Sphinx,' an Orion Picture release through Warner Bros. Directed by Franklin J. Schaffner, written by John Byrum. Starring Lesley-Anne Down, Frank Langella, Maurice Ronet. Rated 'PG.'

Here's a scene that falls under a category entitled 'cinema: sign of the times.'

Lesley-Anne Down plays a sharp-minded PhD Egyptologist who is on a research trip in Egypt searching for information on an obscure pyramid architect named Menephtha.

It looks as though she's not in the country for more than fifteen minutes when she's caught up in black market intrigue, witnesses a very gruesome murder, and finds her own neck about to test the sharpness of a sword's edge. Like a melodrama of old, she is barely rescued in the proverbial nick of time, but she becomes hysterical and her male rescuer slaps her face.

Had it been Bogart and Mary Astor, she might have replied, 'Thanks, I needed that.' But today's female heroine responds differently. She calms down, finds out more about her rescuer and the unfolding quandary, and then slaps his face saying, 'I don't like being slapped, even if I am hysterical.'

It's a silly little scene in a silly big movie. The on-location shooting of Egypt with the scenic Nile and the truly wondrous pyramids are splendid visuals, beautifully photographed. But the story is so formula and predictable and the clichés so abundant that they pile up nearly as high as the pyramids themselves. As a picture postcard it's a winner, but as action-adventure it's not the eighth wonder of the cinema world.

Robin Cook, the author of the novel on which the film is based, likes to make the main character of his adventures female, as with Genevieve Bujold who played the resourceful heroine in 'Coma.'

He goes further in working from his own

blueprint as 'Sphinx' follows the same outline as 'Coma.' Instead of a black market with human organs, we are presented with the buying and selling of Egyptian antiquities — the treasures from the tombs of the pharaohs.

Director Franklin J. Schaffner is adept at keeping the action running by us at a quick pace, but John Byrum's script, taken from Cook's novel, gives superhuman powers of endurance to Lesley-Anne Down who

can't seem to find the right balance of bravado fear. As a PhD Egyptologist she must have examined a mummy or two, but when she confronts a decaying corpse she recoils like a school-girl to a worm.

Frank Langella turns in a fine, if somewhat stiff, performance as the Egyptian director of Antiquities, although his and Down's fade-to-black love scenes are, like the slap in the face scene, simply another updated cliché.



The shooting of Egypt with the scenic Nile is beautiful but still can't save 'Sphinx' from its predictable script and abundant clichés.

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Rush will bring 'heavy metal' sound to Detroit's Cobo Hall

By FRANK O'BRYANT
Special to Playmate

RUSH, Rock 'n Roll's premiere "Heavy Metalists," will be appearing at COBO HALL for three intense, power packed performances this weekend in a display of showmanship.

For ticket information call 224-1010 before 5 p.m., Friday.

RUSH consists solely of three musicians, all of who come from Canada. Neil Peart (drums), Alex Lifeson (guitar), and Geddy Lee (bass, vocals) combine instrumental wizardry and creative ingenuity to produce an appealing and sophisticated style that has attained the trio superstar status.

Formed in 1974, with then drummer John Rutsey, the band released its debut album simply entitled "RUSH." This disc was labeled commercially unsuccessful not only for lack of sales, but its inability to gain them satisfactory recognition.

Upon completion of their slightly more favorable second LP ("Fly By Night"), Rutsey left the group citing

musical differences as his reason for departure.

After just only two albums, did this then signify the end of RUSH? Many thought this to be the case until it was learned that Neil Peart had been selected to fill the vacancy.

Having once replaced Rutsey on drums, Neil was soon given complete control over lyrical arrangements in an attempt to stimulate the development of a musical relationship including all three musicians.

Not until the release of "2112," their fourth album, was the development fully achieved. The mythological-science fiction thesis that evolved from this album opened the door for the next two studio projects. Combining "Farewell To Kings" and "Hemispheres" produces a totally comprehensible, rock opera that must be repeatedly listened to in order to fully receive its impact.

The latest two RUSH albums are interesting, with each having a couple of superb tracks.

The complex musical structures of the earlier albums has faded, but not completely disappeared.

BUSINESS

Organ festival open to all ages

Organists of all ages are invited to participate in the 1981 National Yamaha Electone Organ Festival according to Pat Feight, owner of Pat Feight's Yamaha Keyboard World in Wayne and sponsor of the music festival.

Amateur and professional organists will compete in various age groups and divisions with an opportunity to earn cash prizes and trips to Regional and National Festivals.

Local competition will be held at Yamaha Keyboard World, 35164 Michigan Ave., on April 26. Regional competition is scheduled for May 15 through 18 in

Rockton, Ill. Deadline for entry is April 1.

"There are many talented organists of all ages in the area," Feight said. "We feel it is important that the metro-Detroit area be represented in this unique national music festival."

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By LEE SMITH
Suburban Living Editor

Americans, it's a known fact, like to "identify" with each other; at least the AVERAGE American seems to like to do so. And Feinsilber's and Mead's accounts in their "American Averages" can fill that identification bill in just about any category you'd care to mention.

If you're interested in knowing how you equate with your countrymen, here again are some amazing facts of everyday life.

ON THE JOB STATISTICS — Nine out of 10 working Americans say they're satisfied with their jobs and three out of five say they'd recommend the job to a friend.

All right, but what if you could go into any job you wanted, they were asked. Sixty percent said they'd switch. Thirty-eight percent said they'd stay and two percent said they'd retire.

Nine of every 10 American workers say that the boss knows his or her job well, is a stickler for the rules, and leaves the workers alone unless they want help. Four in five say that the boss makes everyone work hard and three in four say that the boss encourages everyone to come up with new ways of doing things. Four out of five say that the boss is friendly and two of every five say the boss plays favorites.

About one U. S. worker in five wears a uniform, according to the National Association of Uniform Manufacturers.

The average working woman winds up the week with 20 minutes less sleep than does the average housewife, even though the employed woman sleeps in an hour longer on Sunday.

The employed woman eats faster, too. She spends 20 minutes less per day at the table than the housewife does. But she takes more time than the housewife to wash and dress so she'll be ready for business.

If you want your son or daughter to have a secure future, get the kid to study petroleum engineering. According to the College Placement Salary Survey, petroleum engineering graduates start at nearly \$20,000 a year, twice what graduates in the humanities pull down.

The average teen-ager taking a minimum-wage job at a fast-food outlet quits after four months.

In 46 percent of 2-parent households, both spouses work.

One working American in three puts in overtime at least once a week. Of those who do, one in seven average 17 or more extra hours a week. Only one worker in 12 considers his or her hours excessive. Four out of five of this country's workers who put in regular overtime do it more or less voluntarily. They say they could turn it down without penalty.

Taylor Caldwell, one of the most serious and thought-provoking writers of this century, has added another 445 pages to her long string of in-depth fiction. The 80-year-old Miss Caldwell, who gave us much meaningful novels as "Testimony of Two Men" and "Captains and the Kings," both of which were made into mini-series for television, causes her readers to think, wonder about and question the society in which we live.

Once again she creates a hero, Jason Garrity, a good and honest man, who rises from impoverished Irish-Catholic roots, only to be despised and jealously scorned by those closest to him.

"Answer as a Man" tells of the painful price Garrity pays for progress in his provincial town of Belleville, Pennsylvania as his dreams of a magnificent resort hotel take shape. How an invalid sister, a self-canonized brother-priest, a deceitful and unloving wife and a dearest friend work to undermine his success takes the reader through the turbulent early 1900's. When outside factions add their polished, professional methods of duplicity, Garrity finds himself on the brink of ruin.

Rich in its characterizations, "Answer as a Man" is a serious study of man's cruelty to man, his greed and pettiness and of the sources which prevail over a supposedly democratic society.

This is not light stuff and will not take the reader off into a fantasy world. So if it's escape you're seeking, find yourself a Victorian romance. Only died-in-the-wool Caldwell fans will take to this, her 33rd bestseller.

With BG away for a 4-day seminar just outside the Windy City, there was lots of extra time for reading and I managed to polish off Art Linkletter's autobiography, "I Didn't Do It Alone", as well. Penned by George Bishop (and the book jacket says nothing about him), the 208-page story was not what a 1-time "House Party — People are Funny" follower (me!) expected.

Its brevity alone should warn a potential reader that he's not going to get much of a story. And because of Linkletter's warmth and vivaciousness on the screen, I guess I expected that tone and a little more humor in his book. It's not there.

What he tells of his early hobo, riding-the-rails experiences; a brief section on his friendship with Walt Disney and how he failed to heed his advice; a short reference to his daughter's death and some behind-the-scenes ventures unknown to the public carried his tale just so far. There just was not enough about the man himself — about his parents (and particularly his mother) — and his own wife and children. It's as if he's put up a screen between the "real" Art Linkletter and the business tycoon he's become. It just was too impersonal and dull for an autobiography involving such a dynamic personality.

We understand the U. S. Mails played a pretty important part in the recent "special" birthday observed by Helen Sietz of Sumpter Road.

Since she was adamant about not wanting a party of any kind, her kids put their heads together, decided there had to be SOMETHING done and came up with the idea of a card "shower".

Sending out notices to friends, relatives and former customers (from their Sietz Store days) and supplying the necessary 15-center for the envelop. Mary Ann and Bill Emerson and Dick and Grace Sietz asked that recipients remember their mom by sending her a birthday card on March 3.

And since that date, there've been over 150 pieces of mail, oodles of messages, prayers, little gifts, phone calls, personal visits and a number of floral tributes to let the "birthday gal" know she wasn't "getting away," with another year without a little fanfare.

With half a bag of fresh spinach on hand last week, it meant spinach salad of some sort for dinner. So — checked out the fruit and vegetable crispers and threw a few things together to accompany the beef pasties (a new brand) we were going to sample that night.

After washing, drying and pulling the spinach into bite-size pieces, I added fresh orange segments and a sprinkling of raisins and walnuts and then rummaged through cookbooks for a dressing which would have enough body to tie them all together. Here's the one I chose (since I had all the ingredients) and it's another recipe I'm pretty sure you'll enjoy. It's from the "Soupcon" book put out by the Junior League of Chicago and is called, simply enough...

FRUIT SALAD DRESSING

- 1/2 cup honey
- 2 T. vinegar
- 1 T. frozen orange juice concentrate
- 1 T. prepared mustard
- 1 tsp. salt
- 3/4 cup salad oil
- 1/4 cup chopped pecans (optional)
- 1 tsp. poppy seeds

Combine first five ingredients. Add oil slowly, beating thoroughly until well blended. Stir in nuts and poppy seeds. Pour into pint jar or cruet, cover and chill before serving. Shake well before adding to fruit or greens.

THE BOTTOM LINE: Too many couples sacrifice everything for their children and lose each other while they're doing it.

In the community

Ernest Young feted on 88th birthday

By Mrs. Joseph Spring
699-4021

Mayor and Mrs. Justin Emerson returned last week after having spent the past six weeks in Florida. After touring the east coast and visiting a friend of long standing, Mrs. Robert Fahey at Key West, they made their headquarters at Clearwater.

While there their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Groeschner and family from Norwalk, Conn., enjoyed a week's vacation from teaching with them.

After having been a patient at Beyer Memorial Hospital in Ypsilanti for 19 days, where she had X-rays and under went treatment, Mrs. Henry (Ada) Sager returned home March 2.

Word has been received here by the senior Darryl H. Raymonds of the serious illness of their sister-in-law, Emily Raymond (widow of Harley Raymond) of Bellevue. Having been a patient for some time at a Battle Creek Hospital, she is now at home but undergoing treatments.

Emily was a one-time resident of Sumpter Township and Belleville and friends may send cards to 506 North Main St., Bellevue 49021.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maki were weekend guests of their son, Alan and his wife, Sharon, at Elkton.

Friday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clayton were friends, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Linderman of Saline.

Tuesday evening callers at the Church Street home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hatch were a nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Moorhead from Gaylord, and Mrs. Hatch's sister, Mrs. Margaret Anderson of Menlo Park. The Moorheads were enroute to Florida.

Mrs. Muriel Smith and Mrs. Marjorie Grubbe spent last Tuesday visiting relatives at South Lyon where they called on their granddaughter, Mrs. Glenn Brown, a grandson, John Smith, and his mother, Mrs. Joan Hillis. The latter returned home with them to spend some time with her mother, Mrs. Grubbe.

Friends of Mrs. Cora Horton, a one-time Denton and Belleville community resident, now of Battle Creek, were sorry to hear of the death of her sister, Mrs. Mamie Snyder, on Feb. 27. Mrs. Snyder, 80, passed away suddenly while the ladies were in Florida.

Funeral services were held in Battle Creek March 3. Burial took place in Hickory Corners.

Callers Friday at the home of Mrs. Joseph Spring were relatives, Mrs. James King from Las Cruces, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Hasse of Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoff and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hatch enjoyed a Saturday afternoon visit to the Detroit Institute of Arts. After lunching at the Kresge Tea Room, they spent some time driving

HUB 30 and Ups set dinner-dance

The HUB 30 and Ups will hold "The Look of Spring" dinner dance on March 29, following a social hour at 5:30 p.m. and catered dinner at 6:30 p.m., Jerry Robotka's popular band will provide music for dancing from 8 to 11 p.m.

The dinner dance will be held at the YWCA Family Center, 26279 Michigan (between Beech Daly and John Daly).

Tickets will be \$10 for guests, \$9 for HUB members and may be obtained at the YWCA or by calling 561-4110. This dance is open to both singles and marrieds.

The HUB has dances every Sunday from 8 to 11 p.m. with live bands and refreshments. Dance lessons with Shirley Blair are also held each week at 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. Admission for the dance is \$3 for guests and \$2.50 for YW members. Everyone is welcome.

For more information, please call the YWCA of Western Wayne County at 561-4110.

New on the scene

Michael and Kathleen Abdo of 36781 Bibbins St., Romulus, are lullabying a new baby daughter these pre-spring days and her name's Kelly Anne.

The 8 lb., 7oz. infant made her debut at 2:44 a.m. Feb. 18 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor and measured 21 inches.

Her proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Abdo of Romulus

and Judge and Mrs. Alfred Sullivan of East Lansing. The new mother is the former Kathleen Sullivan.

"Jeremy Andrew" is the title given the new son born Feb. 21 to Daryl C. and Joyce M. Hamrick of 49684 W. Huron River Dr., Belleville.

Their second child, the new heir weighted in at 7 lbs., 8 1/2 ozs. and mea-

sured 20 1/2 inches on his arrival at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Waiting to welcome her new brother home was 19-months-old Julie Kay Hamrick.

The children's grandparents are Jim and Kathy Renton of Glendale, Ariz., formerly of Belleville, and Pearl Hamrick of Belleville. A great-grandmother, Stella Hamrick, resides in Winder, Ga.

Janet Harris. His actual birthday was March 5.

David Young recently returned home after enjoying a ten-day vacation at Key West, Fla.

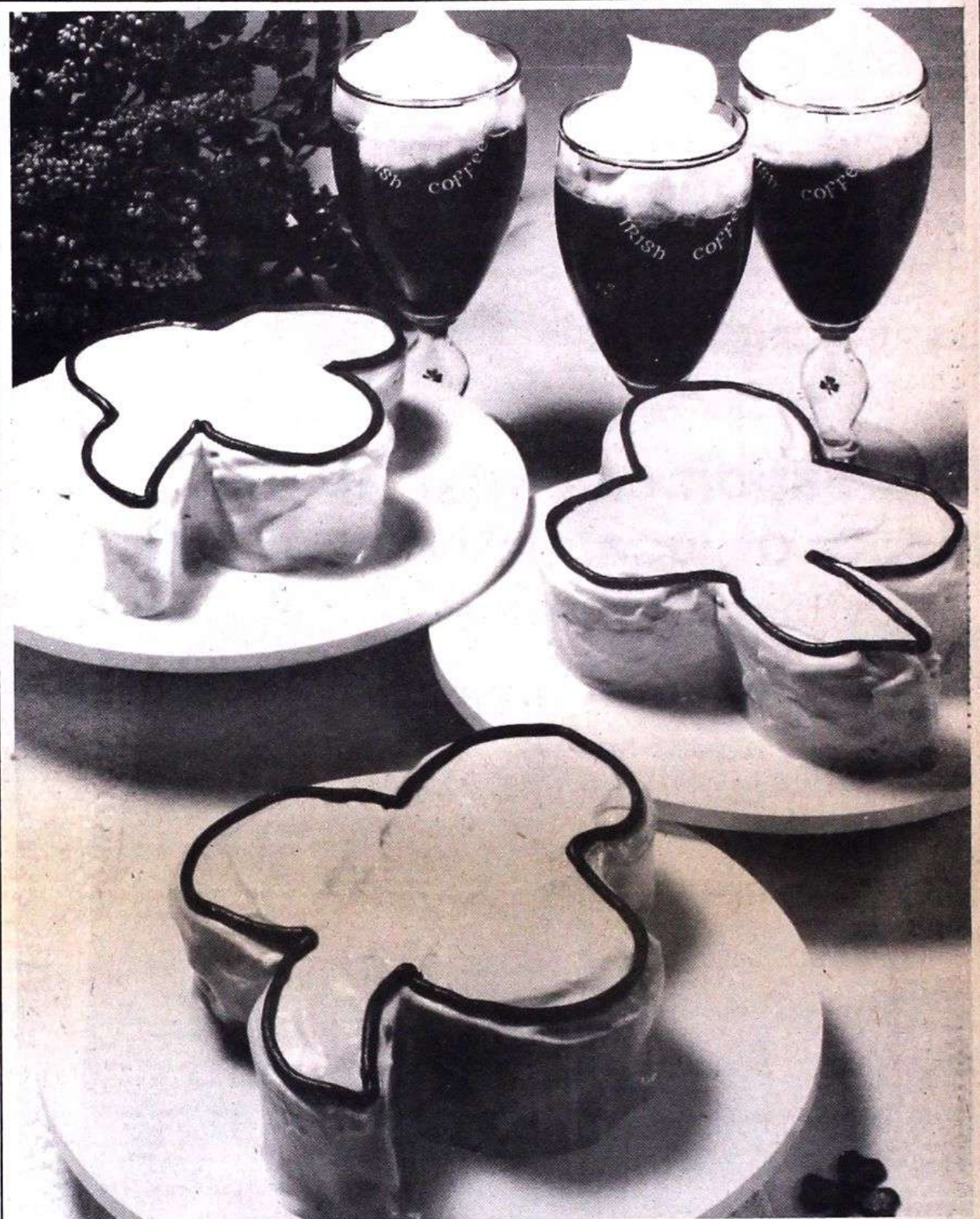
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Lee Smith, Suburban Living Editor

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For your recipe file

Cake and coffee — in the Irish manner

There's a fanciful blend of tradition and whimsy that marks the St. Patrick's Day observance, and nothing expresses it better than the enjoyment of good food and drink.

Create your own celebration dessert, and what could be more appropriate than these delightful Shamrock Cakes! The cupcakes are prepared with packaged cake mix which shows off streaks of lime flavor gelatin and creme de menthe. All this is under a cover of generous frosting made with a blend of thawed frozen whipped topping and fruit flavor gelatin. Garnish with green decorator icing and these striking cakes do justice to the holiday.

In the spirit of good fellowship, savor the occasion with a spirited beverage—Irish Coffee, of course!

Shamrock Cakes

- 1 package (2-layer size) yellow or white cake mix or pudding-included cake mix
- 1 package (3 oz.) Jell-O lime flavor gelatin
- 1 cup boiling water
- 2 tablespoons cold water
- 2 tablespoons green creme de menthe
- 1 container (8 oz.) Cool Whip non-dairy whipped topping, thawed
- 1 tube green decorator icing (optional)
- *Or use 1/2 teaspoon peppermint extract and 1/4 cup cold water.

Prepare cake mix as directed on package to make 28 cupcakes; cool 10 minutes. Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Measure 1/2 cup; add cold water and creme de menthe. Cut a small "x" in center of each cupcake and carefully pour gelatin in the cuts. Chill at least 30 minutes.

Meanwhile, chill remaining gelatin until slightly thickened. Fold in whipped topping. Cut 4 cupcakes in half. Arrange one half and 3 whole cupcakes on serving tray to resemble a shamrock. Frost with about 1/2 cup of the frosting. Make 7 more shamrocks, using remaining cupcakes and frosting. Garnish with decorator icing. Chill. Refrigerate any leftover cakes. Makes 8 cakes or 16 servings.

Irish Coffee

- 1/2 cup Maxwell House or Yuban instant coffee or Sanka brand instant 97% caffeine free coffee
- 6 cups hot brewed Maxwell House, Yuban or Sanka brand 97% caffeine free coffee
- 1 cup Irish whisky*
- 1/4 cup sugar

*Or use 1 teaspoon brandy extract. Dissolve instant coffee in the brewed coffee. Add whisky and sugar. Pour into large goblets or stemmed coffee cups. Sweeten with additional sugar and top with thawed frozen whipped topping, if desired. Makes 16 servings.

The birth of their first child, a son is being announced by James Edward and Carmen Ann Terry of 34824 Lynn Dr., Romulus. Named for his dad, James Edward Terry Jr. put in his appearance at 1:13 p.m. Jan. 6 at Riverside Osteopathic Hospital in Trenton.

The 8 lb., 13 oz. new-comer, who measured 21 inches, is the new grand-

son of Mr. and Mrs. Baline F. Newland and Mr. and Mrs. Rupert F. Terry, all of Romulus.

Great-grandparent honors go to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Humburger of Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Terry of Toledo, O.; Mrs. Florence Terry and Al Turner of Harrison; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hester of Romulus and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Newland of Ypsilanti.

It's a date

PWP forming new chapter

ROMULUS — Parents Without Partners, an international non-profit organization, is forming a new chapter in the Romulus area. Through family activities, adult social functions and educational programs, friendship is offered to the single parent and his or her children. Interested parties are asked to call 941-1850 or 379-9871 for further information.

BELLEVILLE — Tickets are now on sale for the 3rd Annual Policeman's Ball which the Van Buren Township Police Department will host on April 25 at the Brass Belle Hall on Sumpter Road. The community is invited and tickets at \$10 per person will include dinner, dancing, beer, set-ups and snacks. Contact any police officer or call 699-2003 for tickets.

WILLOW — A family style chicken supper will be served starting at 5 p.m. March 11 (today) at the Willow United Methodist Church. At 9 a.m. on March 18, a church benefit party will be held in the form of a Stanley demonstration. Refreshments will be included and the program will take place in the church basement.

BELLEVILLE — The next general membership meeting of the Belleville-Van Buren Jaycettes will be held at 4:30 p.m. March 15 at the Big Boy Restaurant, 10705 Belleville Road. For further information, contact secretary Valerie Higgins at 699-2714.

BELLEVILLE — A Financial Planning Seminar will be held at 6 p.m. March 21 at the Van Buren Township Hall. Knowledgeable speakers will answer questions on personal finance, explain the guide and present a short slide program. A \$2 charge for the Personal Financial Planning Guide will be charged. Please RSVP to 699-3159.

BELLEVILLE — The Belleville Area Senior Citizens Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. March 12 at Edgemont School. Joan Didia from the Romulus Help Center

will tell about her work at the Center and how it aids senior citizens. Bingo will follow.

BELLEVILLE — A St. Patrick's Cabaret will be held starting at 8 p.m. March 14 in the cafeteria of North Junior High School. Featuring the Belleville High School Jazz Band, the evening of music, dancing and snacks, will be sponsored by the Belleville Band Boosters. Admission will be \$2 for students and senior citizens and \$2.50 for adults.

BELLEVILLE — "Luncheon is Served" and a fashion show by Kureth's Apparel will be held at 12 noon on St. Patrick's Day, March 17, in the fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Church of Belleville. The United Methodist Women, who are sponsoring the event, have tickets at \$3 per person available at the church office. They must be purchased in advance with March 14 as the cut-off date.

BELLEVILLE — The Belleville La Leche League will hold its monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. March 16 at 90 Wexford Street. This informal discussion will center on childbirth and the breastfeeding family. La Leche is a non-profit, self-help group which believes in good mothering through breastfeeding. All mothers and babies are welcome. A light snack will be served. Call 697-2990 for further information.

ROMULUS — Books are needed! Books of all kinds—fiction, reference, comics, paperbacks, etc. — for the used book sale which Friends of the Library have planned for April 28, 29 and 30. Anyone wishing to donate books may drop them off at the Romulus Public Library. Proceeds will benefit the library working fund.

Smallwood, Rock wed in Romulus

The marriage of Dorothy Pierce Rock of 28461 Halecreek, Romulus, and John Smallwood of 32862 Truman Dr., Rockwood, was solemnized Feb. 27 by the Hon. William Oakley, Mayor of Romulus, at the Romulus City Hall.

Double ring vows were exchanged at four in the afternoon before the couple's immediate families and their honor attendants, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rock of Romulus, the bride's son and daughter-in-law.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse

Pierce of Monesson, Pa., the bride wore a beige gown cut in mid-calf length and with a lace sleeved bodice and pleated skirt. Her flowers were red silk roses.

Now making their home at 32862 Truman Dr., Rockwood, the newlyweds were feted at a reception at the Martin K. Rock home in Romulus on Feb. 28. Some 50 guests attended the six o'clock party.

The couple plan their honeymoon for May when they will visit Las Vegas, Nev.

Trouble sleeping?

If you are one of those people who have occasional trouble sleeping, the Better Sleep Council offers these tips for better rest:

— Don't drink coffee within a few hours of going to sleep since caffeine can disturb your sleep; the same is true of alcoholic beverages, especially in excess.

— Try to go to bed and get up at the same time every day; a regular schedule is conducive to good sleep.

— Make sure that your bed is in good condition and provides proper support for your shoulders and hips. It should also be large enough for you to stretch out and change positions easily.

Young Careerist candidate selected at BPW meeting

Belleville Business and Professional Women's Club's regular meeting, organized by the Young Careerist Committee comprised of Chairman Ann O'Beay, Gwen Ashe, Georgia Badgett and Audrey McKee, was held March 2.

Two young career candidates, Erma Quann, The Quality Control Supervisor of the Ford Motor Company, Ypsilanti Plant, and Nina Van Tiem, account executive from Michigan Bell Company, gave presentations. Both met the qualifications for eligibil-

ity to represent the Club for the Young Career Woman.

The candidates spoke on "Where I've Been, here I Am, and Where I Am Going." Following the meeting, the committee selected Ms. Van Tiem to represent the Club at the Spring Dis-

trict 13 meeting at Allen Park on April 15.

On March 21 and 22 BPW members will attend the Spring State Board meeting at Allen Park on April 15.

On March 21 and 22 BPW members will attend the Spring State Board meeting at the Plymouth Hilton Hotel and the Legislative Drive-In on April 28 at Lansing.

The Humanitarian Committee announced March 20 as the date for the next monthly visit by members to the Evergreen Nursing Home.

On April 6 at Faith United Methodist Church at 6:30 the Belleville BPW club will have its annual meeting. There will be election of officers and the Public Relations Committee consisting of Margaret Saunders, chairman, Ruth Baehr, Mabel Hall, Irene Whalen and Sophie Zoller will be in charge.

April 25 is the date of the local BPW spring rummage sale. We are among the Busy People of the World!

2 Belleville residents on Dean's list

Two Belleville residents, Timothy S. Melvin and Denise J. Patterson, are among the 32 students from Washtenaw Community College to be nominated to the National Dean's List. Nominees must be on the list at the college for at least two consecutive semesters to be eligible for the national list.

The announcement is made by Paulette Grotz, Admissions Officer at WCC.

A first-year student from Romulus, Virginia Tyree, was among those named to the Dean's High Honor List for the fall semester.

A 1981 graduate of Romulus High School, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tyree of 38570 Superior, Romulus.

Altar dates planned for late March, May



MISS SEDLAR



MISS MANDELL

The engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Anita L. Sedlar, and Harold E. Nichols Jr. is announced by Dean and Alice Scott of 32059 Bruce St., Romulus.

The prospective bridegroom, who works for Hydra-Matic Division of General Motors at Willow Run, is the son of Harold and Wilma Nichols of 30565 Young, Gibraltar.

Both young people graduated from Romulus High School, she in 1975 and he in 1973.

A March 28 wedding date at Calvary Baptist Church is planned.

A May 9 wedding at St. Paul's Lutheran Church is planned by Linda Sue Mandell of Belleville and Daniel Richardson Marshall of Ypsilanti.

The young couple's engagement and altar date are announced by David and Dorothy Mandell of 13970 Haggerty Rd., Belleville, parents of the bride-elect, who is affiliated with the Belleville-Van Buren Jaycettes.

Her fiancé, who resides at 1004 Carver, Ypsilanti, is the son of Daniel M. and Agnes F. Marshall of 35811 Parkdale, Livonia.

Short subjects

Have you acquired extra poundage during the holidays? Here's a satisfying low-cal salad dressing you can use over lettuce salads: Combine one cup cottage cheese and one-half cup buttermilk in a small mixing bowl, beating until smooth. Add one-fourth cup each chopped green

pepper and green onion and one-half teaspoon seasoned salt. Mix until blended; cover and chill (Yield: 1½ cups).

To give nourishment to condensed soups, dilute them with an equal amount of milk; mix and heat.

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Glenn edges Wayne for district title

Rockets come from behind to win, 49-47

By JIM BRADLEY
ANP Sports Writer

John Glenn's furious man-to-man full-court press and "never-say-die" spirit carried the Rockets to a come-from-behind 49-47 victory over Wayne Memorial Saturday afternoon in the district championship game played at Plymouth Salem High School.

Trailing by 10 points with 3:24 left in the third period (37-27), the Rockets' full-court press caused numerous Wayne turnovers which enabled them to outscore the Zebras 22-10 in the last 11½ minutes of the game to win their second district title in four years.

Glenn's win, which sent the Rockets' record soaring to 17-5, matched them against Ypsilanti in the regional opener Wednesday night at Ypsilanti. Dearborn was scheduled to meet Detroit Southwestern in the nightcap of the double-header with the two winners meet-

ing at 7:30 p.m. Friday for the regional championship. The loss ended Wayne's season with an 11-11 record.

"This proves the character of these boys," Coach Dan Henry said in the exuberance of the joyous Glenn locker room. "I think we proved we're the best team in the area and Wayne deserves all the credit in the world for their hustle

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Sports Scene

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Tom Mooradian, Sports Editor

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Grabbing this rebound, Romulus' Bill Miller (40) has no trouble, however, after he scored the first basket of the game, Miller and the Eagles couldn't match Ypsilanti's over-all strength and lost the district title to host the host.



Fred Mallard (11) scored 14 points and played good defense in aiding Wayne Memorial's effort Saturday in the district title game. Here the scrappy guard defends against Glenn's Tony Dalimonte (24) and Dave Ward

(42), while teammates Al Russell (31) and Steve Coleman (51) block the way to the hoop. However, Dalimonte brought Glenn from behind in the Rockets' thrilling 49-47 win.

ANP photo by Lothar Konietzko.

The Sports Meridian

Where have cage crowds gone?

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Sports Editor



Has the depressed economy taken the "madness" out of March?"

It looks that way. There were plenty of empty seats at both the Ypsilanti-Belleville and the Ypsilanti-Romulus basketball playoff games last week at Ypsilanti as well as for the match-up for the district finals Saturday between natural rivals, Westland John Glenn and Wayne Memorial at Plymouth Salem.

I can remember years when one had to be a weightlifter in order to muscle his way through the crowds to get into the gym. In fact, one year at Riverview during one of the classic Rouge and Inkster match-ups, a police escort was needed to get in.

Where have the crowds gone?

"There are several reasons why I feel the attendance is down," said Pat Montagano, who heads the athletic program at Ypsilanti High School and was a former basketball coach at Livonia Churchill.

"I think one of the main reasons is the economy," Montagano continued. "There just isn't enough money in the fan's pocket. And don't forget you have to add to that the gasoline crunch."

Ypsilanti High, which can seat 4,000 in its gym, had 749 paid fans for Friday night's championship game between the host and Romulus.

"If you think that is bad," said Montagano. "I heard that the gate for one of the games at Dearborn High was only \$140. It's really bad, and we're hoping that the regions here will be different."

Ypsilanti will host Detroit Southwestern, Westland John Glenn and Dearborn for its regional championship. Southwestern won the city title, while Dearborn reigns as the Suburban 8 Conference champ and Ypsilanti, which is sporting a 17-3 over-all record, captured the South Central Conference championship. Coach Dan Henry and the Westlanders will take a 17-5 mark up against the Braves while the Pioneers of Dearborn are 16-5 on the season.

Montagano revealed another interesting fact: The Saginaw Valley Conference, one of the toughest in the state, is still packing the fans in like sardines.

"You know it's no secret, but fans like to follow and support winners," Montagano added. "It's a cliché, but I always felt it was true - that no one likes a loser."

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Attention swim coaches

With the high school swimming & diving season near its end, the task of selecting an All-Area team is at hand. And Wayne Memorial's head swim Coach Jim McPartlin will host the annual selection committee.

Coaches from Belleville, Plymouth Salem, Plymouth Canton, Westland John Glenn, Livonia Franklin, Livonia Churchill, Cherry Hill, Inkster and Dearborn Heights Robichaud are invited to attend a meeting to pick the top prep tankers and divers in the area.

The meeting will be held at 4 p.m., Monday, March 16 at Wayne Memorial. Further information may be obtained by telephoning Coach McPartlin at the high school.

Revenge is sweet

Wayne swimmers hang on to Great Lakes 8 title

Although they won only one of the 11 events, Wayne Memorial swimmers and divers proved to the Great Lakes 8 Conference that it had the depth to salvage a share of the title they have owned for the past five years.

Posting more than 75 points than its nearest challenger, Monroe, Coach Jim McPartlin's Zebras retained a share of the conference title. The Zebras had to finish ahead of unbeaten Monroe — the only team to beat them — to become co-champs.

"I felt we swam very well," said McPartlin after Wayne's 365-to-287 victory over Monroe. "They had the front-runners, but we had the depth. We qualified three swimmers in each championship heat except for two events — and that, I felt, was the difference."

Trailing the co-champs in the final standings were Wyandotte (237), Fordson (119) and Lincoln Park (55), which hosted the conference championships.

Wayne's lone gold medalist was Eric Head who captured the league title in the 500-yard freestyle. Head was clocked in the winning time of 5:10.1.

Wayne diver Bob Swain came within four-tenths of a point of picking up a gold, however, he was forced to settle

for a silver when Monroe's Marty Ellenberg piled up 357.4 for his efforts.

Swain, who had 357 points, and teammate Tim Harris, who finished sixth, qualified for regional competition which were held Tuesday at Lahser High School.

Wayne will be represented at the Class A state finals in Ann Arbor by Head who qualified in the 50-yard freestyle. The state finalists will gather at University of Michigan on Friday and Saturday to determine the state championships.

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Great Lakes championships

Great Lakes 8 Swimming & Diving Championships

TEAM RESULTS
1. Wayne Memorial - 365.2, Monroe - 287.3, Wyandotte 237.4, Fordson - 119.5, Lincoln Park - 55

200-YARD MEDLEY RELAY
1. Monroe, (Fred Yentz, Don Steve, Dale Schultz, Tom Schnoorberger) - 1:45.9.2, Wayne Memorial - 1:47.3.3, Wyandotte - 1:52.8.4, Lincoln Park - 1:54.3

200-YARD FREESTYLE
1. Joel Elconin (M) - 1:52.0.2, Jeff Harrison (W) - 1:52.37.3, Kevin Egan (WM) - 1:52.4.4, Scott Martin (WM) - 1:56.0.5, Mike Bellino (M) - 1:56.2.6, Al Jones (WM) - 2:01.2

200-YARD INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY
1. Don Steve (M) - 2:08.6.2, Eric Head (WM) - 2:09.6.3, Corky Whitehead (WM) - 2:11.1.4, Gary Winters (F) - 2:12.5.5, Terry Nicley (M) - 2:14.1.6, Keith Brothers (WM) - 2:16.9

50-YARD FREESTYLE
1. Pat Gobb (W) - 22.9.2, Bob Kendall (F) - 23.5.3, Mike Hierarchy (W) - 23.7.4, Randy Ferguson (WM) - 23.7.5, Doug Craig (WM) - 23.9.6, Brian Schleicher (WM) - 23.9

DIVING
1. Marty Ellenberg (M) - 357.42, Bob Swain (WM) - 357.0, Mark Trencert (M) - 335.6.4, Dale Rybicki (W) - 322.1.5, Roy Hoffman (M) - 296.5.6, Tim Harris (WM) - 291.2

100-YARD BUTTERFLY
1. Dale Schultz (M) - 56.2.2, Scott Martin (WM) - 57.2.3, Keith Brothers (WM) - 58.0.4, Matt Hawthorne (WM) - 1:01.0.5, Mike Lezotte (LP) - 1:01.1.6, Fred Yentz (M) - 1:06.5

100-YARD FREESTYLE
1. Pat Gobb (W) - 50.0.2, Bob Kendall (F) - 50.9.3, Scott Leininger (W) - 52.7.4, Doug Craig (WM) - 53.2, Kevin Egan (WM) - 53.3.6, Tom Watkins (M) - 53.5

500-YARD FREESTYLE
1. Eric Head (WM) - 5:10.1.2, Jeff Harrison (W) - 5:11.5.3, Randy Matheny (W) - 5:13.7.4, Corky Whitehead (WM) - 5:15.7.5, Mike Yendis (WM) - 5:21.5.6, Ken Ballard (W) - 5:22.7

100-YARD BACKSTROKE
1. Dale Schultz (M) - 59.1.2, Randy Ferguson (WM) - 59.6.3, Gary Winters (F) - 1:00.2.4, Fred Yentz (M) - 1:00.4.5, Brian Schleicher (WM) - 1:00.5.6, Dale Litaroto (M) - 1:01.3

100-YARD BREASTSTROKE
1. Don Steve (M) - 1:06.22, Terry Nicley (M) - 1:06.5.3, Randy Balwinski (WM) - 1:08.9.4, Mike Egan (WM) - 1:09.3.5, Rick Mushing (M) - 1:09.5.6, Ron Umfleet (WM) - 1:11.5

400-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY
1. Wyandotte, (Pat Gobb, Jeff Harrison, Randy Matheny, Scott Leininger) - 3:24.5.2, Wayne Memorial - 3:26.8.3, Monroe - 3:37.1.4, Fordson - 3:41.8.5, Lincoln Park - 3:51.8



Disgruntled over a ref's call, Romulus head cage coach Al Wilkerson lets his feeling known during Friday night's Class A district basketball championships held at and against Ypsilanti. Wilkerson saw his Eagles

stage a fourth period rally that cut into the five-time district champ's lead, but it wasn't enough.

ANP photo by Lothar Konietzko.

Rally falls short as Romulus loses district cage title to Ypsi

Following in the footsteps of Belleville, Romulus was struck with an early malady of missing easy shots and was eliminated 63-51 by host, Ypsilanti, from the Class A District basketball championships Friday night.

Scoring one basket — a layup by Bill Miller in the first minute of the game — Coach Al Wilkerson's Eagles failed to find the bucket the rest of the first period and found themselves trailing 14-3.

It was that first period that had a devastating effect on Romulus' chances of beating a ripe-for-picking Ypsilanti quintet.

"You take away that first period and we played even the rest of the game," said Wilkerson as he reconstructed the game. "I'm disappointed because I thought we could beat them, but we just couldn't do the things we did against Temperance."

What Romulus did to Temperance would have been enough to get them into the regionals. With Bobby Stewart pumping in 27 points, the Eagles crushed Temperance 76-62 in the first round of the playoffs last Tuesday to qualify for the district championship.

But Stewart, as did his teammates, had problems against Ypsi and their spiritual leader Keith Armstrong, a 6-7, 235-pound junior who chastised everyone, except Romulus' 6-5 junior center, William McNeil, when they came under the boards.

The Armstrong-McNeil duel was a classic one. But neither players received much assistance from their teammates.

McNeil scored 10 of his 14 points — and a couple of those were two-hand dunks — to earn respect from the Braves and rally the Eagles from a 11 point deficit to a

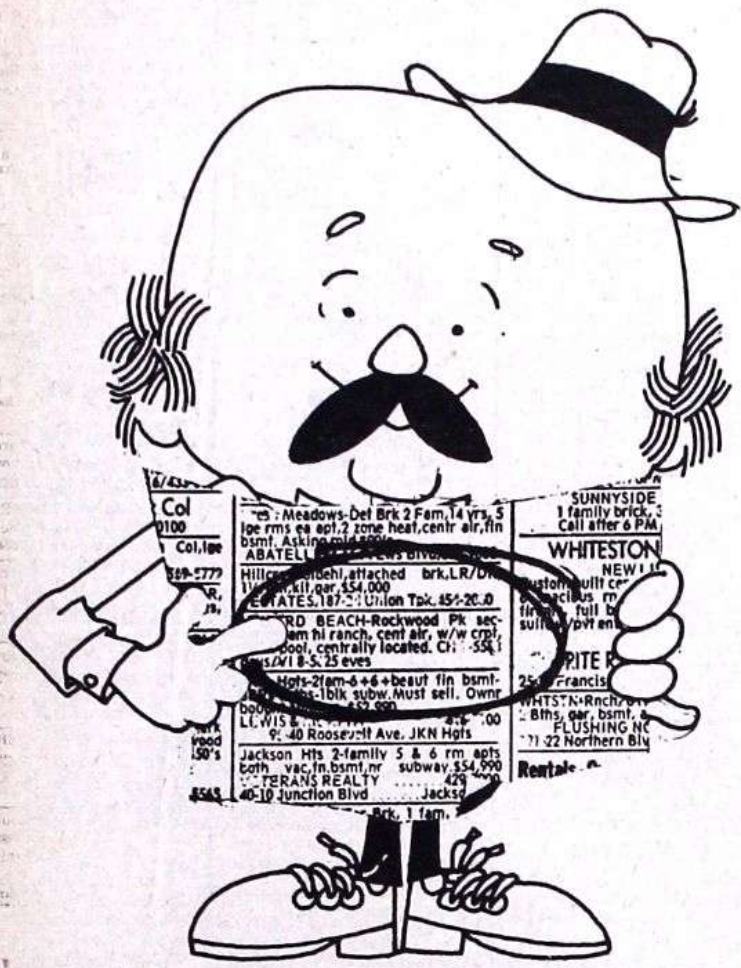
27-21 halftime margin. But, somewhere in route, McNeil collected his third personal foul, handicapping him the rest of the night.

Ypsilanti turned on the fast break and complimented it with a couple of lob passes from Bryan Poe to Armstrong for easy under the board baskets that pulled the champs away by as much as 19 points before Romulus realized what was happening.

Ahead 49-32 at the end of three periods, Ypsilanti withstood a Romulus surge that cut the Braves' bulge to nine — but that's the closest the Eagles got. "We missed seven one-and-ones and hit only 20 of 56 from the floor," pointed out Wilkerson who rounded out his first year as head coach with a 6-14 won-lost record. "At one point we scored 10 in a

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Glenn's 6-3 center Dave Ward (42) had to give away five inches in height to Wayne's 6-8 Bill Hargrove (right) but he didn't give an inch in desire. He helped his team to an exciting 49-47 District Championship game victory Saturday. Ward scored seven points and played good defense as Glenn upped its record to 17-5 and was scheduled to play Ypsilanti in the regionals. ANP photo by Lothar Konietzko.

Glenn comes from behind to win, 49-47

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driving underhand lay-up down the lane tied it again at 44-44.

Rob Sisson grabbed a rebound and fed Thweatt, who made another driving underhand lay-up through heavy traffic down the lane to give Glenn a 46-44 margin with 5:10 left. However, Mallard calmly sank two free throws again to pull Wayne even, 46-46.

On Glenn's next possession, Sisson drilled a left-handed 15-footer through the nets at 4:08 and that ultimately proved to be the deciding points in the game. Wayne missed two free throws

and then Glenn stalled a long time — passing the ball around from 3:55 down to 1:25 before Wayne fouled a Glenn player.

Glenn missed and Rogers was fouled, sinking the front end of a 1-and-1 to leave the Rockets ahead, 48-47 with just 1:07 left in the game. Wayne's defense tied up Glenn and the Zebras won the jump ball, but threw the ball out of bounds. Thweatt was fouled on a drive to the basket and made the second free throw for a 49-47 Glenn lead with 32 seconds left.

Rogers' driving layup down the lane

Ypsi ousts Romulus

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row and cut their lead to nine, I thought then maybe we would catch up."

It wasn't to be.

Ypsilanti will meet Westland John lynn at 7 p.m., Wed., March 11, in the first round of the regional tournament. Again, the Braves will have the home-court advantage.

McNeil and Armstrong finished the night sharing individual scoring honors. Each had 14. Pat Bell and Jeff Dixon split 22 points between them for the Eagles while Ypsi also had two others — Dan Brown and Steve Lawrence with 12. Freddie Johnson chipped in 11 for the winners.

A bigger but slower Temperance team stayed ahead the fast-moving Eagles for eight minutes in the semi-final round before Wilkerson's crew mopped up with a 20-13 edge in the

second period that erased a 12-8 deficit and lifted the local cagers into the lead 28-25 at intermission.

Outscoring their rivals 20-13 and 24-12 in the middle quarters, the Eagles bolted out in front. That gave Wilkerson ample opportunity to play most of his players.

rolled around the rim, was tipped up two or three times by Wayne teammates before the Zebras knocked it out of bounds with 0:16 showing on the clock.

Thweatt was fouled but missed the front end of his 1-and-1 with 0:14 left and Wayne called time-out with 0:08 seconds left. Al Russell made a drive for the basket and his shot bounded around and off the rim as the referee whistled a foul as the buzzer sounded.

The public address man incorrectly announced it was a 1-and-1 free throw attempt. Russell lofted his first free throw and it bounced on the inside of the rim but caromed off to the left as the Glenn players and fans erupted in a joyous shout of victory.

The referee then called Russell out onto the floor again and his second free throw hit the front rim and bounced away. The win was Glenn's second in three meetings with Wayne this season. Wayne won the Christmas Tourney by one point and Glenn came from behind in the fourth quarter of their regular season game to win 59-51.

"You have to give John Glenn credit," said Wayne Coach Steve Schwartz.

"They never gave up and kept coming back at us the entire game. There was a two or three-minute span in the third period that did us in when we didn't execute like we should have. I'm proud of our kids' effort and proud to be their coach. One of the keys to the game, I felt, was when Thweatt hit three shuffle baskets with Hargrove on the bench.

"But it was a tremendous game and shows the caliber of young men that Wayne-Westland Schools produce," Schwartz said.

ROMULUS				YPSILANTI			
FG	FT	TP	PL	FG	FT	TP	PL
Stewart	1	5-6	7	Johnson	5	1-3	11
Bell	4	3-7	11	Poe	3	3-4	9
Miller	2	0-1	4	Caudwell	2	0-1	4
Gray	0	0-0	0	Brown	2	6-7	12
McNeil	6	2-3	14	Armstrong	7	0-2	14
Coffield	2	0-0	4	Lawrence	3	6-8	12
Dixon	5	1-6	11	Fraser	0	1-3	1
Davis	0	0-1	0	TOTALS	23	17-28	63
Barker	0	0-0	0				
Hollifield	0	0-1	0				
Clark	0	0-0	0				
TOTALS	20	11-25	51				

ROMULUS				TEMPERANCE BEDFORD			
FG	FT	TP	PL	FG	FT	TP	PL
Stewart	9	9-10	27	Wishart	1	0-2	2
Bell	7	4-6	18	Bowen	3	2-4	8
Miller	1	0-2	2	Tanis	6	8-10	20
Gray	5	4-5	14	Crupe	2	1-2	5
McNeil	7	1-3	15	Lezon	3	0-0	6
Dixon	0	0-0	0	Hoogendoorn	6	1-3	13
Chick	0	0-0	0	Carter	2	1-3	5
Coffield	0	0-0	0	Smale	1	0-0	2
TOTALS	29	18-26	76	TOTALS	24	14-25	62

WAYNE MEMORIAL				JOHN GLENN			
FG	FT	TP	PL	FG	FT	TP	PL
Player				Dalmonite	4	6-9	14
Mallard	4	6-7	14	Sisson	4	0-0	8
Russell	3	2-5	8	Smith	2	0-0	4
Rogers	7	4-8	18	Ward	2	3-5	7
Hargrove	1	0-0	2	Thweatt	6	2-5	14
Martin	0	2-2	2	Hodges	0	0-0	0
Mazurek	1	0-0	2	Cesarz	0	2-2	2
Coleman	0	1-2	1	TOTALS	18	13-21	49
TOTALS	16	15-24	47				

Van Buren schedules umpiring classes

Van Buren will hold baseball and softball umpiring clinics on March 15 from 2 to 5 p.m. for those who wish to officiate in the summer program.

On March 15, rules will be stressed, according to George Roberts, who heads the program. There will also be a rules and officiating course on March 21 from 9 a.m. until noon. Both courses will be held at the Van Buren Township Hall, on Tyler Road.

Men and women, ages 15 and up, are invited to attend classes.

Further information may be obtained by telephoning Roberts at 697-1641.

The Sports Meridian

One of the most moving moments of the season came immediately after John Glenn came from behind in the last period at beat Wayne, 49-47, Saturday for the district championship at Plymouth Salem.

Glenn Principal Tom Svtkovich, and ardent booster of the Rocket cage team all year, was one of the first to reach the Glenn bench and vigorously shake the hand of Coach Dan Henry. The two exchanged congratulations and warmly embraced in the excitement of the moment.

Forgotten was the controversy and disagreement that marked the beginning of the season between the two when Henry was removed as coach of the team after an alleged argument.

Svtkovich has supported the team enthusiastically all season and requested permission to speak to the boys in the locker room.

"I've just got one word to say to you," Svtkovich told the players. "Congratulations!" The boys roared their appreciation and their principal added, "Now let's go win the next one!"

Another warm moment came when Coach Henry told his players in the locker room, "Each of you won an individual medal and we have one left over. I want to give it to the one who is most responsible for us winning the district championship and having a great season.

"This goes to Wayne Woodard, who scouted each team before we played them and gave us the information we needed to win." Henry handed the medal to his young assistant coach, who was his senior point guard just last season, as the team again cheered their appreciation.

Who says there are not any warm and moving moments in sports anymore?

Wayne surprises Salem

Wayne Memorial reached the championship game of the districts with a 47-43 win Thursday night over host Plymouth Salem in an error-filled contest.

The lead changed hands several times as both teams took turns throwing the ball away but Wayne managed to be ahead when the final buzzer sounded.

Center Bill Hargrove and sub Gary Mazurek, the "Mutt and Jeff" of the Zebras, proved to be the difference in the game. Using a "velvet touch," Hargrove sank 10-of-10 free throws — eight in the final period — to give Wayne an 18-11 fourth quarter advantage that wiped out Salem's 32-29 lead after three quarters.

The 6-8 Hargrove also grabbed 10 rebounds in Wayne's 11th win in 21 games. The loss ended the Rocks' season at 13-9, after they disposed of Canton, 58-53, to reach Thursday's game.

Gary Mazurek, the hustling red-headed guard who doesn't look as tall as the 5-10 listed on the program, was the one who turned things around in the third period with six consecutive points for Wayne.

The sharp-shooting play-maker sat on the bench as his team raced to a 12-4 lead in the first quarter before settling for a 12-9 edge at the first buzzer. The Rocks made turnovers on 10 consecutive possessions without getting off a shot in the mistake-plagued opening period.

But Mike McBride, who led Salem with 15 points in

Glenn rolls

John Glenn breezed into Saturday's district finals at Plymouth Salem by trouncing Garden City East, 61-45, after carrying a 20-point lead in the third quarter.

The Rockets, who had four scorers in double figures, settled the issue with their 31-17 halftime lead and the Panthers never made a threat after that.

The only time Garden City East was in the game was late in the first quarter after Glenn held a 14-4 lead. The Panthers, spurred by Bob Kosowski's six first period points, closed the gap to 16-12 at the first buzzer.

However, Coach Dan Henry's club got six points from center Dave Ward and four from forward Kevin Thweatt in a 15-5 second quarter blitz that decided the game by intermission.

Glenn held a commanding 41-21 lead in the third stanza before East closed it to 47-29 going into the stretch. With subs from both benches playing most of the final eight minutes, East outscored the Rockets, 16-14, to make the final score more respectable.

"We gained so much respect for Garden City East in the last game of the season when we barely beat them by two points on their court," Henry said.

WAYNE MEMORIAL				PLYMOUTH SALEM			
Player	FG	FT	TP	Player	FG	FT	TP
Mallard	3	3-4	9	Cohen	3	2-4	8
Russell	3	3-5	9	Houle	2	0-0	4
Rogers	4	2-6	10	Horton	1	0-0	2
Hargrove	1	10-10	12	Miller	2	0-1	4
Martin	0	1-3	1	McBride	7	1-1	15
Mazurek	2	2-2	6	Sharp	3	4-5	10
TOTALS	13	21-30	47	TOTALS	17	7-11	43

JOHN GLENN				GARDEN CITY EAST			
FG	FT	TP	PL	FG	FT	TP	PL
Dalmonite	1	0-0	2	Player	1	0-0	2
Sisson	6	4-4	16	Kosowski	7	0-2	14
Smith	0	0-0	0	Curylo	1	0-0	2
Ward	5	2-3	12	Kulik	5	1-2	11
Thweatt	6	2-2	14	Amann	1	0-2	2
Hodges	4	4-7	12	Ferguson	3	2-6	8
Cesarz	0	1-2	1	Baggett	1	0-1	2
Wright	0	0-1	0	Harnes	2	0-2	4
Wilson	1	0-0	2	Hall	1	0-0	2
Wacker	1	0-5	2	TOTALS	21	3-15	45
Whitner	0	0-1	0				

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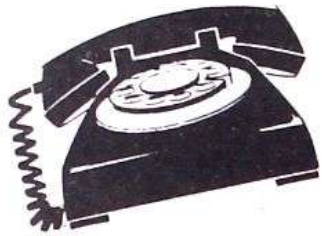
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4. Monuments-Cemetery Lots

Obituaries

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LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE STATE OF MICHIGAN

WAYNE COUNTY ORDER TO ANSWER FILE NO. 80-036 389 DM

ERNIE ROSE, Plaintiff vs. JUANITA ANN ROSE, Defendant.

At a session of said Court held in the City County Building, City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on Feb. 19, 1981. Present: Honorable John D. O'Hair, Circuit Judge.

On the 6th day of October, 1980, an action was filed by ERNIE ROSE, Plaintiff herein, against JUANITA ANN ROSE, Defendant herein, in this Court for divorce.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, JUANITA ANN ROSE, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 19th day of May, 1981. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment in Default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

JOHN D. O'HAIR, CIRCUIT JUDGE

RICHARD P. McCLURE P17315 Attorney for Plaintiff 249 Main Street Belleville, MI 48111 313-697-8511

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LOUISE E. DUNN

Age 67, March 6, 1981 of Wayne, Michigan. Beloved wife of Marcel. Dear mother of Marlene Smelser. Mother-in-law of Herbert. Sister of Thomas Belcher. Grandmother of Cindy Stafford, Thomas, Craig, Paul and Robert. Grand son-in-law, Wayne. Funeral services were held at the UHT FUNERAL HOME, 35400 Glenwood, Westland on Monday, March 9, 1981, 1 p.m. Officiated by Mr. Sewell Hall.

DAWN KENYON

Age 64, March 6, 1981 of Florida. Formerly of Belleville, Michigan. Beloved wife of the late Robert L.

1. Funeral Directors

Funeral Directors

LENTS FUNERAL HOME

34567 Michigan Avenue
Wayne 721-5600

UHT FUNERAL HOME

Harold Redise Jr., Director
35400 Glenwood
Westland 721-8555

ROBERTS BROS. FUNERAL HOME

209 Main Street
Belleville 697-9400

MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME

Of Westland
John F. Locnickar, James Vermeulen
Terry R. Danol D.I.C.
980 N. Newburgh Rd.
Westland 326-1300

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9. Lost & Found

15. Autos for Sale

You FINANCE
We Sell for LESS
CALL
GARY LEONARD
• 1977 PLYMOUTH
Sport Fury, P.S., P.B., Air, Low
Miles. AM-FM, Reg and
White. **\$2,595**
• 1976 DUSTER
6-cyl., Auto, AM-FM Like
new. **\$1,795**
• 1977 CORDOBA
Triple black, air, AM-FM, 8-track.
Must be seen, tilt wheel, power
windows. Clean. **\$2,795**
**STATEWIDE
AUTO SALES**
44625 Mich. Ave. (Canton)
397-3003

15. Autos for Sale

1979 MERCURY CAPRI Gha. V-6,
automatic, power steering, power
brakes, A/C, AM-FM cassette,
TRX. more. \$4,200. 699-5762 after 7
p.m.

**JACK DEMMER
FORD**
1975 PLYMOUTH Duster, 2 door, 6
automatic, power steering, 29,000
miles. Excellent condition. \$1,795.
1980 PINTO, 4 cylinder, automatic,
power steering, 13,000 miles. Like
new. \$3,995.
721-6560

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**O'HARA
DATSUN
1980 DEMO SALE**
810 WAGON
Automatic, air, roof rack, stereo.
STOCK #8001.
LIST \$9,848
SALE PRICE \$7,995
SAVE \$1,853
200 SX HARDTOP
Automatic, air, stereo, power steering.
S/L package. STOCK #6137.
LIST \$8,752
SALE PRICE \$7,795
SAVE \$957
200 SX HARDTOP
Automatic, air, stereo, S/L package.
STOCK #6107.
LIST \$8,652
SALE PRICE \$7,695
SAVE \$957
200 SX HATCHBACK
S/L package, protection package, air,
power steering. STOCK #6110.
LIST \$8,476
SALE PRICE \$7,695
SAVE \$781
280 ZX 2+2
Automatic, air, power steering, sunroof.
G/L package. STOCK #4071.
LIST \$11,777
SALE PRICE \$12,399
SAVE \$2,378
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35655 Plymouth Rd., Livonia
425-3311

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Diesel & Gas
• Rabbits • Vanagons
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SAVE TWICE
Vehicle Cost & Fuel Cost
Immediate Delivery
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LIVONIA VOLKSWAGEN
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**1976
FORD CLUB WAGON**
8 passenger, nice. **\$1,880**
**1980
FORD PINTO**
Runabout, lots of MPG. **\$4,140**
**1977
CAMARO**
Sharp. **\$2,770**
**1977
FORD T-BIRD**
Loaded. **\$2,875**
**1977
VOLARE PREMIER WAGON**
Auto., air (2 to choose from). **\$2,560**
**1980
DODGE COLT**
Factory Official Car
Auto., air. **\$5,680**
**1973
FORD TORINO**
Like new. **\$1,080**
**1978
FORD FUTURA**
Must see. **\$3,140**

**LIVONIA CHRYSLER
PLYMOUTH**
525-5000
30777 PLYMOUTH RD.
Between Middlebelt and Merriman

**GAS MILEAGE
KING**

1974 VW BUG
4 Speed, excellent
cheap transportation. **\$1,595**

1978 1/2-TON PICKUP
Short Bed, 5-speed. **\$3,695**

**1980 TOYOTA 4x4
PICKUP**
4 Speed, Fiberglass,
Copper, Low Miles. **\$7,495**

1980 TOYOTA CELICA
GT Liftback, Black
Edition, 5-speed, Sun
Roof, Air. **\$7,495**

1980 TOYOTA COROLLA
4-door, Deluxe,
Auto., Air, Low
Miles. **\$5,895**

1980 TOYOTA TEREELL
SR5 Liftback, Air,
Stereo. **\$5,895**

LaFontaine TOYOTA
22805 Michigan Ave.,
Dearborn **274-6480**

BINGO

SUNDAY
6:45 P.M.
CORP. BOVA &
246 ENGINEER'S
Post No. 9885
Wayne Ford Civic League
1661 N. Wayne Rd., Westland

TUESDAY
BALKAN HALL
By Serbian Orthodox Church
25575 Mich. Ave.
Dearborn Hgts.
Tuesday & Thursday
6:45 p.m.

MONDAY
AMERICAN LEGION
Westland Aux. Unit 251
St. Norbert's Church
759 Inkster Rd.
Doors Open 5 P.M. Bingo 6:45

TUESDAY
11:45 A.M. BINGO
SONS OF THE AMERICAN
LEGION SQUADRON 200
11800 Michael St., Taylor

WEDNESDAY
VAN BUREN
TWP. HALL
46425 Tyler Rd.
Van Buren Township
10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

THURSDAY
Romulus Progressive Club
11580 Ozga at Five Points
Sponsored by
Romulus North Little League
Doors Open 10 a.m., Bingo at 11
a.m.

FRIDAY
EVERY FRIDAY
6:45 P.M.
Romulus North Little League
Auxiliary
Romulus Progressive Hall
11580 OZGA

SATURDAY
AMERICAN LEGION
POST 111
4422 S. Wayne Rd.
Wayne
Doors open 5 p.m.,
Lightening 6:30
Bingo 7 p.m.

**TO PLACE YOUR BINGO AD
CALL 729-4000**

15. Autos for Sale

1975 TORONADO, fully loaded, ex-
cellent condition, low miles. \$2,500.
427-6539.

1978 ZEPHYR-27, loaded, power
steering, brakes, automatic, stereo,
air, rear defrost, wires, more.
\$3,750. 455-4215.

1976 PLYMOUTH ARROW, 4 cylinder,
4 speed, good condition, \$1200 or
best offer. 563-6041 between 7 and 10
p.m.

1976 THUNDERBIRD, triple black,
wire wheels, 49,000 actual miles.
\$2,150. TYME AUTO SALES. 455-
5566.

1980 OMNI 4 door, air, ps/pb, cruise,
loaded, low miles. 50,000 mile war-
ranty. \$5,975. 721-3786.

1974 FORD LTD Brougham, regu-
lar gas. Real sharp. \$1,095. Call 595-
7322.

1975 MONTE CARLO, triple black,
all options, \$1,395. TYME AUTO
SALES. 455-5566.

1973 MERCURY MONTEGO STA-
TION WAGON, air, stereo, automa-
tic, all power. \$600. 565-4866.

1976 MUSTANG, automatic, \$1,000
actual miles, like new. \$1,345.
TYME AUTO SALES. 455-5566.

JEEPS, CARS, pickups, from \$35.
Available at local Gov't Auctions. For
directory call Surplus Data Center
415-864-0537.

1962 CHEVY
Biscayne, 28,000 actual miles. Great
running condition. One owner. In-
very good condition, could be res-
tored with little work. Call and
make offer around \$550. Call 595-
6257.

1974 NOVA, automatic, excellent
MPG, no rust, 795. TYME AUTO
SALES. 455-5566.

1974 MONTEGO — Power steering
& brakes. 2 new tires. Good condi-
tion. Runs good. Must sell. \$550. 728-
5997.

1973 PLYMOUTH Gold Duster, ex-
cellent gas mileage, good condition.
\$1050. 941-5186.

1977 VISTA CRUISER wagon, 9 pas-
senger, A/C, luggage rack, AM-FM
stereo, excellent condition. \$2400.
942-0227 after 4 p.m.

1972 VW Super Beetle, sun roof, AM-
FM, four speed, 42,000 miles, no
rust, excellent condition. \$1,650. 595-
0187.

1978 GRAND PRIX, loaded, sun
roof, 42,000 miles, new shocks and
radials, take over payments or will
trade. 728-4335.

1967 PONTIAC, excellent transpor-
tation, new tires, new battery,
tune-up, \$350, or best offer. 595-7405.

1978 DODGE MAGNUM XE, 400,
loaded, black on black, 36,000 miles.
\$3,800 or best offer. 753-3113 (9 to 5).

1969 OLDSMOBILE 98, power steering
& brakes, air, good interior,
\$200. 721-3069 after 5 p.m.

1978 FAIRMONT, air, velour in-
terior, 12,000 miles, V-top, AM-FM
stereo, \$3,450. Will consider trade.
522-3870.

BOBCAT, 1978-Wagon, stick, 4
cylinder, Ziebart. \$3,000. 522-1554.

1972 BUICK SKYLARK, automatic,
looks and runs good, no rust, TYME
AUTO SALES. 455-5566.

1979 TOWN COUPE, black, one
owner, all important options. CB-
cass, radio, Ziebart, garaged.
\$8,200. 525-6440.

15a. Sports Foreign Cars

1970 VOLKSWAGEN, 4 speed,
radio, heater, extra clean inside and
out. Owned by older lady since it
was new. \$69 down, \$59 a month. One
year limited warranty. AUTO-
LAND 728-3100.

16. Trucks-Vans for Sale

1979 GMC Pickup, dual tanks, 305,
regular gas, \$4800, 525-7200, ext. 29.

1980 FORD PICKUP, Ranger XLT,
6,000 miles, loaded, air, tilt, stereo,
lights, warranted. \$5,950. 595-6509.

1976 FORD F-250, Trailer Special,
loaded with extras, including shell
& bunks, etc. \$2,500. 522-7630.

1973 FORD 250, power steering &
brakes, Stereo, air, automatic.
Good condition. \$1200. 565-7337.

1978 FORD VAN, club wagon, 29,600
actual miles, air, automatic, power
steering & brakes, dual tanks,
cruise control, 8 passenger. \$4,500.
482-3433.

1978 CHEVY, one ton stake truck
with lift gate, power steering, power
brakes, automatic transmission.
36,000 miles. 383-9227, between 8
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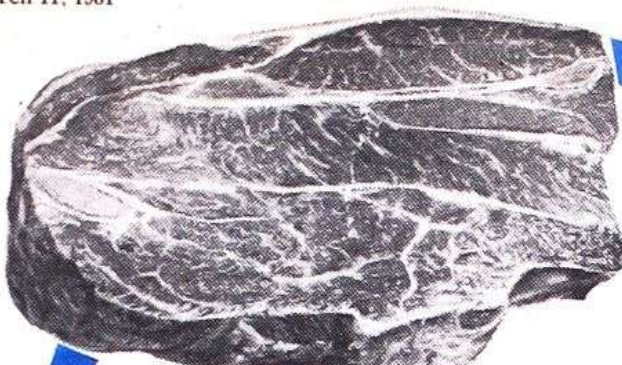
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Care for Your Car

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CHECK TUNE-UP. You use more gasoline in the summer than any other time of the year. So a gas-saving tune-up now can save you real money.

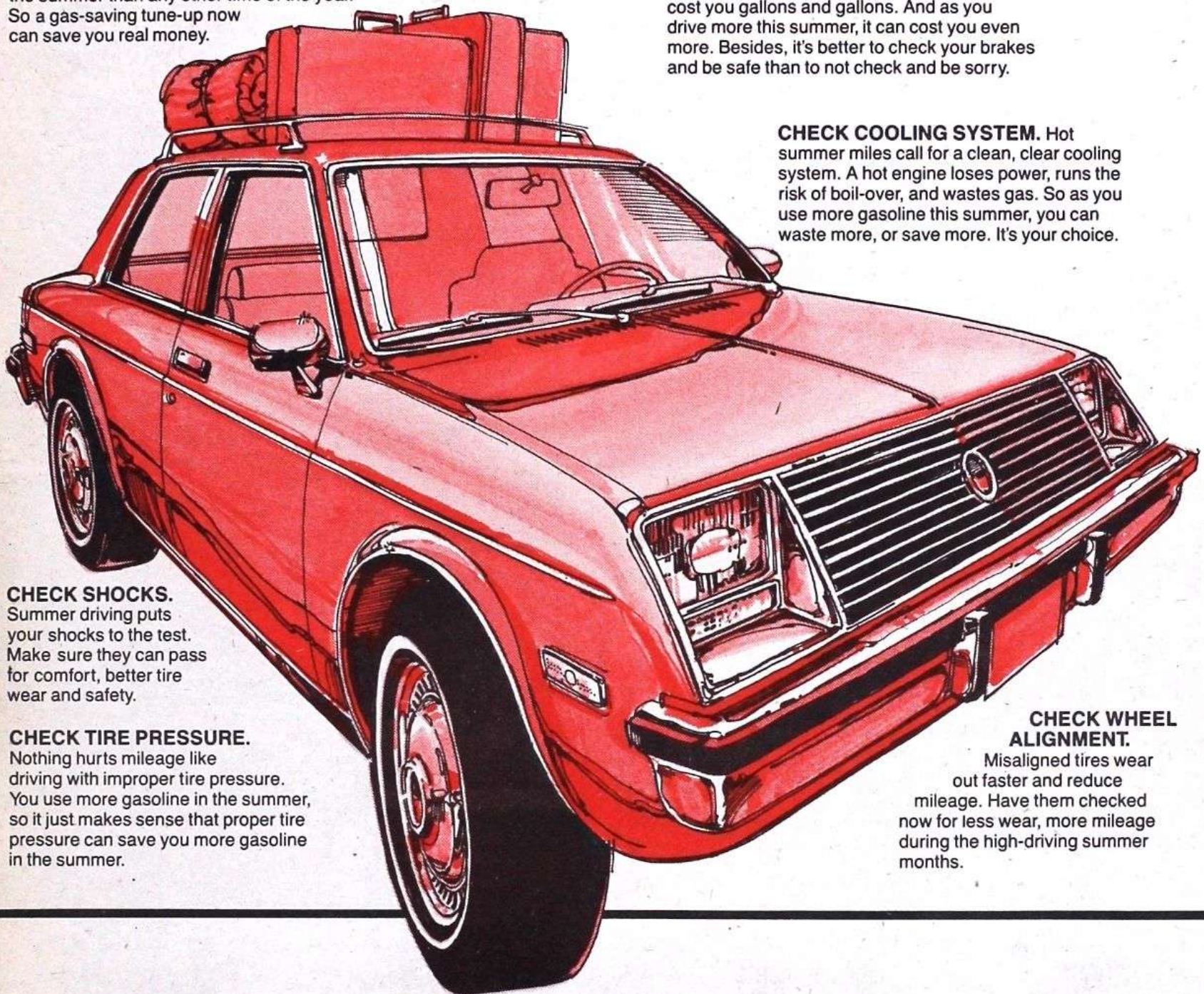
CHECK BRAKES. A dragging brake can cost you gallons and gallons. And as you drive more this summer, it can cost you even more. Besides, it's better to check your brakes and be safe than to not check and be sorry.

CHECK COOLING SYSTEM. Hot summer miles call for a clean, clear cooling system. A hot engine loses power, runs the risk of boil-over, and wastes gas. So as you use more gasoline this summer, you can waste more, or save more. It's your choice.

CHECK SHOCKS. Summer driving puts your shocks to the test. Make sure they can pass for comfort, better tire wear and safety.

CHECK TIRE PRESSURE. Nothing hurts mileage like driving with improper tire pressure. You use more gasoline in the summer, so it just makes sense that proper tire pressure can save you more gasoline in the summer.

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Fuel-saving tips given

Tune-ups will cut gasoline bills

A car that is out of tune may gulp as much as 10 percent more gasoline than a car with an engine where all pistons are pumping properly.

Tune-ups are not required as often on later model cars. Most domestic cars today are equipped with electronic ignition systems which make tuneups easier since they eliminate the points and condenser.

Most motorists don't have to be told when their autos are badly out of tune. They can hear it and feel it missing — especially when the motor is running and the transmission is in neutral.

The Motor Vehicle Manufacturers Association, trade association for U.S. car, truck and bus makers, reports that one spark plug misfiring half the time can cost you as much as one mile per gallon of gasoline. So, spark plugs should be replaced at mileage intervals recommended by the car manufacturer and properly gapped.

Whether you are a do-it-yourself auto mechanic or rely on other service expertise, make sure that the carburetor is checked for slow action, or a choke that might be stuck. Also, the carburetor needs to be inspected to assure that it's properly adjusted.

Check engine compression. Valves that don't function properly or worn piston rings lower engine compression. And poor compression cuts your engine power, uses oil and is no friend to your gas tank.

The Positive Crankcase Ventilation, or PCV, valve system naturally restricts crankcase ventilation when it's sticking. A

sticking PCV valve can cause a pressure buildup that forces oil into the combustion chamber. That creates deposits in the chamber that are detrimental to fuel economy.

Dirty ignition wiring should be cleaned or replaced to ensure a hotter spark for more efficient combustion.

Tires — radial or bias — that are under-inflated waste fuel and also cause uneven wear on the outside tread. Over-inflation might give better mileage, but you will sacrifice riding comfort and also lose some valuable tire mileage. You can spot over-inflation by heavier wear in the center of the tread.

A couple of important reminders on radials. Don't mix them with bias belted tires. Because of the different characteristics of radials and bias plies, they just aren't safe in a matchup.

And when you want your radials rotated, don't try to criss-cross them. You can only change radials between wheels on the same side of the car — between front and rear.

It's no secret that the use of air conditioners in your car, truck or recreational vehicle will increase gasoline consumption.

But, advising people not to use their air conditioners during a heat wave is like telling them to give up some other pleasures like a good movie, dinner out or a ball game.

Although air conditioning raises your fuel bill, there are things you can do to make it less costly.

First, don't use it needlessly and don't automatically turn it to the highest power. On even the warmest days you should be able to run the air conditioner at the lowest power range and still be quite comfortable — especially if there are no rear seat passengers.

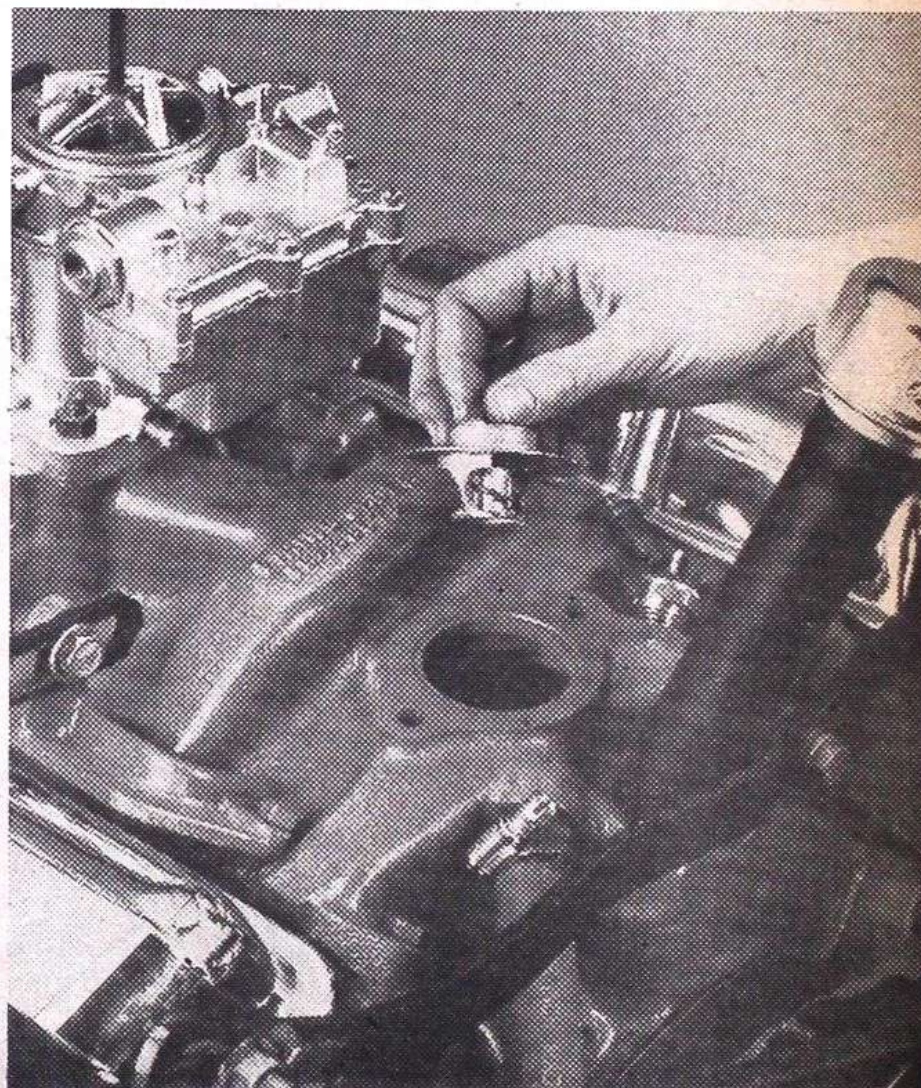
Unfortunately, air conditioners work their hardest and consume the most gas when they are in greatest need. That would be a hot summer day in bumper-to-bumper, rush hour traffic. That kind of cooling can cost as much as two miles on a gallon of gasoline.

Mechanically, the belt that runs your compressor should be checked for proper

adjustment. The right tension on the belt makes the cooler operate at peak efficiency. An expert should do the checking. If the belt is loose, it will slip; if the belt is too tight, it can snap and your air conditioner will be temporarily useless.

Perhaps the biggest factor in favor of having an air conditioner aside from comfort is its contribution to safer motoring because you are more alert behind the wheel.

For more fuel-saving tips, write: Communications Division, Motor Vehicle Manufacturers Association of the United States Inc., 300 New Center Building, Detroit 48202.



When your cooling system thermostat fails or malfunctions, the engine will either overheat or take too long to warm up. A quality replacement part, calibrated to the engine size, will insure better fuel mileage, efficient en-

gine operation and less frequent engine repair. When installing a new thermostat, be sure the housing and engine block surfaces are clean, and use a new gasket for a secure seal.

Keep spare fuses handy

To most car owners, fuses are like volcanoes. They don't think about them until they blow. Then, certain accessories in the car stop working — possibly windshield wipers, lights, radio or whatever is on that circuit. Caught without a spare, you could be in trouble.

Protecting the car's electrical system, fuses open and shut off current when overloads occur that could damage wiring and other components. To get a circuit back in business after a fuse blows, the fuse has to be replaced. If it blows again, find out why and

correct the problem.

The wise car owner, according to the Car Care Council, not only keeps spare fuses on hand, but also learns how to replace them just as he knows how to change a tire.

Most fuses are found in a fuse block, usually located beneath the instrument panel on the driver's side. The number of fuses in the block — as many as 20 — varies according to the number of accessories in the car.

Circuits generally are clearly marked on the fuse block. When replacing a fuse, always use one

of the same type and amperage as indicated on the end cap of the glass tube fuse.

Some later model cars have a new type fuse with the identification imprinted on the top. These are smaller, easier to replace and identify.

Most fuse manufacturers offer emergency fuse kits, small enough to fit the glove compartment. In the case of glass fuses, they include a fuse puller which removes the fuse without breaking the glass.

Car Care Council recommends keeping a fuse kit in the car.

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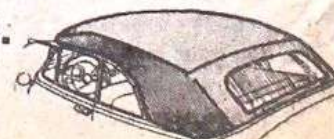
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Most neglected system

Here's way to prevent coolant boiling

An automobile engine is actually an efficient producer of heat energy. In fact, combustion chamber temperatures in an engine commonly reach 4,000 degrees.

This is enough to warm an average six-room house in zero weather. Unfortunately, it is also enough to melt cast iron, the material from which the engine block is made.

All car manufacturers now specify thermostats that start to open in the 195 degree range. Such high temperatures increase the chances of coolant boiling.

Two things are required to prevent coolant boiling. First, a radiator pressure cap that permits pressures of 15 to 18 pounds per square inch. Such a cap raises the boiling point of water to about 250 de-

grees, instead of 212 degrees, the normal boiling point at sea level.

The second requirement is a coolant mixture of about 50 percent ethylene glycol based "coolant" fluid and 50 percent water. This mixture raises the boiling point an additional 15 degrees. Together, the radiator cap plus the coolant raise the boiling point to 265 degrees.

What steps should be taken if the radiator does boil over, or the red light stays on? Mechanics recommend the following troubleshooting procedures:

1. The overheated engine should be allowed to cool down. The radiator cap should not be removed. Serious scalding can result. The engine should be shut off until it cools down naturally.

2. When the engine has cooled down, the cap can be removed and the coolant level should be checked. Possibly it has boiled out. Low coolant level is a principal cause for boiling.

3. A check for pressure leaks of the cooling system and radiator pressure cap should be made. Leaks in radiator or heater hoses, loose hose clamps, or a faulty radiator pressure cap mean leaks in the pressure that is so necessary in cooling systems to prevent boiling.

4. Check to be sure that drive belts are turning the water pump properly. If belts are loose and slipping, boiling can result.

5. The temperature-controlled fan clutch should be checked. Again, inspect the belt.

6. A check should be made, using a regular cooling system hydrometer, to measure how much antifreeze coolant is in the coolant mix. A too low concentration is often one of the reasons for boiling.

7. Radiator fins plugged with dirt, bugs, and leaves prevent proper air circulation. They should be blown out with air or washed off with a hose. Reverse flushing or using chemical cleaners will get rid of rust, dirt and oily deposits.

8. Other possible reasons for boiling can be the use of air conditioners, extended hot-weather idling, a dented radiator filler neck, or a broken water pump impeller. With so many recreational vehicles on the road today, it should be remembered that pulling a heavy trailer is a common cause for overheating.

9. After boiling occurs, the thermostat may have been overheating and been destroyed. Since it is a mechanical part, if it has been used too long, it may be worn out. If there is any doubt, it is always a good idea to replace it.

In spite of the critical job performed by the cooling system, service managers say that it is the most neglected system in the entire automobile. And neglect of the cooling system is the main reason for harmful overheating and coolant boiling.



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Where will you be when your cooling fails? Studies show that nearly half the cooling system hoses in cars on the road now are being replaced on an emergency, rather than a scheduled basis. Now is the time, not out on the highway, to check and replace radiator hoses and V-belts.

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This, better than anything, explains what the trend to do-it-yourself tune-ups is all about. It's been estimated that more than a third of all U.S. motorists do their own tune-up work today—and that number is spiraling upward.

The savings? Simply changing your own plugs can save you anywhere from \$20 to \$40, according to a recent estimate by "Family Handyman" magazine. And that's in addition to the improved mileage per gallon a new set of plugs provides.

Manufacturers of automotive tune-up components and equipment generally welcome this trend—but with some reservations. Champion Spark Plug Company's director of automotive technical services, David L. Walker, observed:

"The best advice I can offer anyone planning on doing a tune-up is to know

when you need help."

Operations such as adjusting the engine timing, for example, can prove tricky for the uninitiated, and novices may quickly find themselves in over their heads.

That's when it pays to have the phone number of a professional mechanic, the service station down the block or a friendly local garage right at your fingertips.

Let's start with the basic equipment you're going to need for the job. Have a spark plug wrench handy and a few combination wrenches (open-ended on one end and a box on the other) as

well. Also, you'll want to have a feeler gauge on hand to set the points if your car has them and a gauge to gap the plugs.

In addition, certain basic instruments such as timing light, a tach/dwell meter, and a compression tester will assist you in performing a tune-up of professional caliber.

Parts? Figure on a new set of spark plugs, a set of contact points and a condenser, for starters. Of course, if your car is equipped with electronic ignition, you won't need the points or condenser.

You may find you'll also need to replace the spark plug wires,

perhaps the distributor cap or rotor, the air filter element, PCV valve and fuel filter.

Before getting down to work, it's a good idea to get a cylinder balance or compression check to determine the general health of your engine. You'll only be wasting time and money if you attempt to tune an engine with burned valves or badly worn or damaged

piston rings.

In doubt about the kind of spark plugs your car needs for peak factory-new performance?

Your local auto parts store personnel will be happy to prescribe the right type for you. Also, some parts manufacturers have developed point-of-sale display systems that help make selecting the proper spark plug actually simple.

Everyone wants to save gas — follow these tips for results

Looking for fresh ideas on ways to save gas this summer? Here are some, with the estimated percentage of mileage increases in parentheses:

- Replace fouled spark plugs promptly (9 percent)
- Maintain correct carburetor and choke operation (2 percent)
- Maintain correct tire pressure (2 percent)

Loose belts mean trouble

Neglected belts can cause a lot of trouble if they are allowed to deteriorate. A loose V-belt can cause your engine to over-heat, your battery to run down and accessories such as air conditioning and power steering to malfunction.

Most belts look fine on the top even when they are in terrible condition. So when you check your car's V-belts, make sure you look at the belt sides and bottom.

Following is a checklist for checking your under-the-hood V-belts:

1. Cracks on the underside of the belt can enlarge as the belt flexes. Cracked belts can break without warning.
2. Glazed belt sidewalls may slip and fail to grip the pulley properly. This can cause a discharged battery, engine overheating and premature belt failure.
3. A grease- or oil-softened belt with slick

- Avoid jackrabbit starts; drive at an easy pace (18 percent)

Amoco, whose surveys provided these results, points out that these percentages aren't exactly cumulative since the same factors may apply to one or more of the conditions on which comparisons are based.

The oil company also

suggests maintaining records to identify fuel waste, minimizing braking by anticipating speed changes and keeping your car properly lubricated, maintaining the prescribed oil level. Belts should be tight; a loose fanbelt also is a gas-waster.

Eliminating needless driving, using the air conditioner advisedly, correcting any transmission slip, maintaining proper wheel alignment and installing a fresh air cleaner are other helpful fuel-saving hints.

If you're driving late at night and dangerously close to empty, Robert Sikorsky, author of "How to Get More Miles Per Gallon," suggests this emergency economy method:

Accelerate slowly to 20 miles an hour, then quickly turn off the ignition and shift the car into

neutral, let the car slow to five to eight miles an hour, restart the engine and repeat until you find an open gas station.

While you can double or triple normal gas mileage this way, Sikorsky says he doesn't recommend it for everyday use, driving down steep grades or if your steering wheel locks when the ignition is turned off.

When starting a car after the engine has flooded, don't pump the accelerator. That only wastes more gas.

Instead, push the accelerator pedal to the floor and hold it there while cranking the starter. This will open the throttle and drain the excess gas from the carburetor. If the entire engine has an automatic choke, be sure to prop the butterfly valve open while the starter is being turned, Sikorsky advises.



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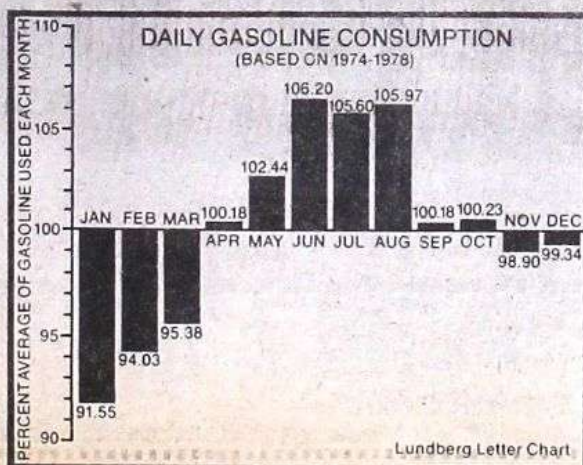
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Traditionally, Americans drive more in the summer. After all, it's vacation time.

So, naturally, Americans use more gasoline in the summer. As the graph on the left clearly shows, we use substantially more than an average amount of gas from May through August.

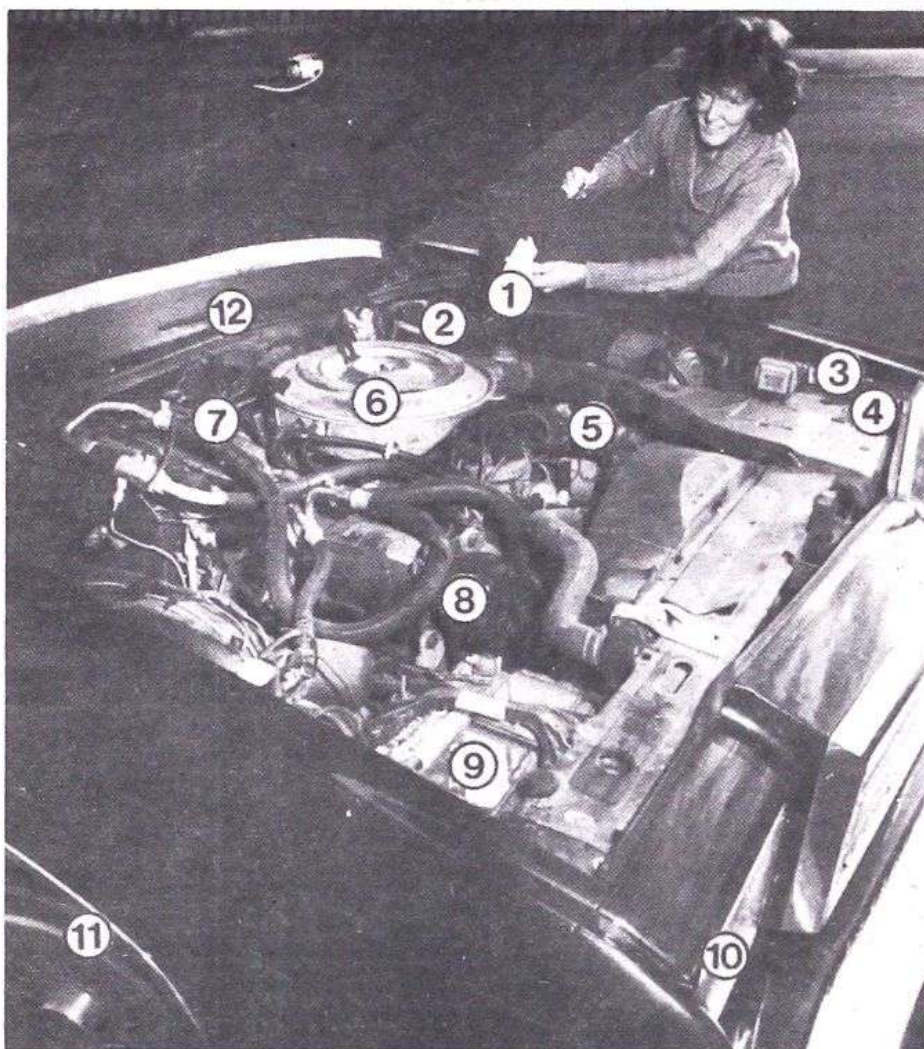
That's why, as summer approaches, it's good to remind yourself that a tune-up (including a fresh set of Champion spark plugs) can save you one to two gallons of gasoline per tankful.

Considering how many more tankfuls you're likely to use at this time of year, there's no better time to realize maximum dollar savings from a tune-up than now.

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Auto check

Women needn't take a back seat when it comes to properly maintaining a car. Do-it-yourselfer Diane Merrill checks one of the most neglected items under the hood — the motor oil level. The Automobile Club of Michigan recommends a simple 12-point maintenance program, which if followed properly, is the key to carefree driving. The checklist items are: 1. Motor oil dipstick — check level. 2. Master cylinder — check brake fluid level. 3. Windshield washer reservoir — keep it full. 4. Radiator — check coolant level and antifreeze strength. 5. Power steering fluid dipstick — check level with motor running. 6. Belts — test tension and replace if frayed or cracked. 7. Battery — clean terminals and check fluid level. 8. Lights, turn signals — be sure they work. 9. Tires — check pressure and wear. 10. Windshield wipers — replace if worn.

Headlights require cleaning

Dirty or improperly aimed headlights or electrical problems may cause a decrease in the needed amount of light, making night driving more difficult. Aimed either too low or too high, headlights fail to do their proper job and put an extra and unnecessary burden on your vision — and that of oncoming motorists. For trouble-free summertime motoring, keep those headlights clean and functioning well.

Brakes need annual inspection for safety

After a car has been slowed and stopped many thousands of times, the brake linings or disc pads will wear out. This happens so gradually that the driver may not realize it.

Brakes should be inspected at least once a year, and the fluid level in the master cylinder should be checked at least every 5,000 miles, says Automotive Information Council.

If a lining is allowed to wear through, the metal rivets or a portion of the brake shoe may scrape or score the brake drum, which then must be either reconditioned or replaced.

More than anything else, your driving habits affect the life of your car's brakes. Unless you have to make a sudden stop as a safety precaution, don't slam on the

brakes, AIC advises. Try to anticipate stops. This saves wear on both brakes and tires.

Don't ride the brakes when driving because this, too, causes premature wear.

These symptoms spell trouble and should be corrected promptly for safe motoring:

- Brakes pull car to one side — This indicates worn linings, fluid on the linings, or worn suspension parts.
- Brakes chatter — A drum is out-of-round, a lining is loose or a disc is warped.
- Metallic grinding when stopping — Brake shoes or pads worn completely through.
- Spongy brake pedal — Low on fluid or air in the lines.
- Pedal goes almost to the floor — Loss of brake fluid.

Common sight along road — mufflers lost from cars

A common sight along America's highways is a form of litter described simply as mufflers. No other automobile part is so vulnerable to be lost to the shoulders and ditches.

Unfortunately, says Car Care Council, the mufflers themselves

often are perfectly good, possibly serviceable for another year or two. But other parts of the exhaust system have let them down. It is not uncommon for mufflers to outlast the exhaust pipes or brackets.

To avoid the unnecessary investment in re-

placing a muffler because the old one was lost alongside the road, Car Care Council recommends a periodic check under the car to be sure everything is intact.

The Council also warns that a muffler that drops off a car on the highway becomes a hazard to vehicles behind it.





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Don't let that rust ruin your automobile

The automobile is among the biggest investments most families make — second only to housing. With prices of new cars averaging \$6,000 plus, and motorists keeping their cars longer, it pays to protect that investment against the ravages of rust and corrosion.

Many drivers, even those who are meticulous about mechanical maintenance, overlook the importance of rust protection in prolonging vehicle life, contributing to safety and increasing trade-in value.

A Department of Commerce study established that rust and corrosion costs U.S. motorists a whopping \$5 million annually in repairs and premature scrapping of cars — and the figure is climbing.

While it's true that automakers have made several anti-rust improvements on their vehicles to include zinc coated and

galvanized metals, the fact remains that today's autos have lighter and thinner panels and frames. Unfortunately, air pollution and road salt can easily corrode and penetrate thin sheet metals common in most 1980 model cars. The maintenance minded car owner should seriously consider the additional, extended protection against corrosion offered by after market rust protection.

This additional insurance against the perils of rust and the extra dollars spent to protect your investment with a professionally applied rust protection treatment could easily save you hundreds in the long run.

However, the consumer should be aware that the difference in rustproofing lies basically in the areas of application, tooling, technical specifications and ultimately dealer quality control.

But what should an owner look for when shopping for a rust protection professional among the many companies offering this service?

- Don't shop for price alone. Consider the reputation of the dealer. How long has his company been in the rustproofing business? Ask former customers about the quality of his work and his willingness to make necessary adjustments.

- Determine warranty provisions and the length of the warranty period. Does the warranty cover the entire car or only the parts sprayed. What are the repair or adjustment provisions? Are there periodic inspection requirements to insure continued protection? What steps are to be taken in the event of accident-related damage? Are there exclusions? All of these provisions should be spelled out clearly. Read the warranty first and ask for an explanation of points that are not clear.

- Determine if the warranty is backed by the dealer, the sealant manufacturer, or both. If the dealer goes out of business, will the company back the warranty?

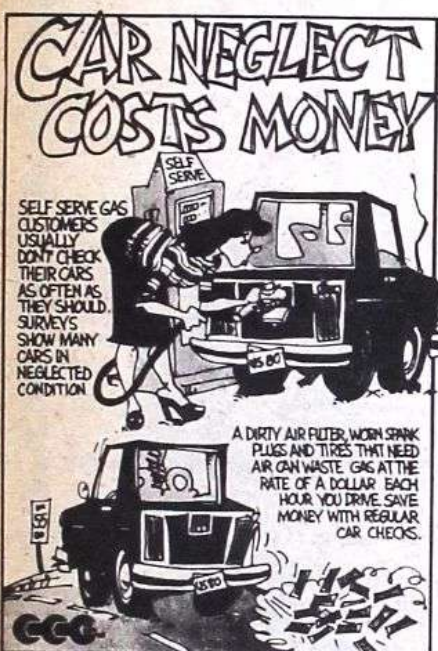
- Make certain the dealer will reach boxed-in areas, such as doors, quarter panels and trunk lids. Check the number and location of plugs to determine which areas were coated.

- Ask questions about the sealant used, as well as application techniques. Ask for a demonstration and check other vehicles completed by the dealer. Some dripping of sealant is normally a good sign, indicating a thorough application.

- Question the dealer's knowledge of vehicle design. Does he know where to spray — and where not to — on your vehicle? Are rustproofing specifications tailored to your make and model?

- Are rustproofing technicians certified through a training program? What tools will they use to ensure access to all rust-prone areas?

A rusting vehicle is more than a cosmetic problem. Corrosion damages to important components such as the frame, steering linkage and brakelines can be a safety hazard. This is one reason the U.S. Department of Transportation recommends rust protection by an established specialist.



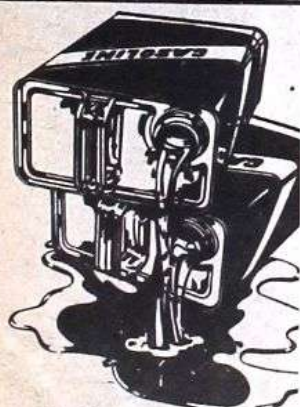
Checking belt tension is easy

(Continued from Page 4) have separated. The belt may soon fail.

While you are checking the condition of your belts, make sure they are correctly tensioned. A loose belt will cause slipping, and slippage causes key components—fan, alternator, water pump, etc.—to slow down,

thereby affecting their performance.

Checking belt tension is relatively easy. As a "rule of thumb," tension is considered sufficient if the belt cannot be pushed down (deflected) more than about one-quarter inch with your thumb placed on the belt midway between the pulleys.



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